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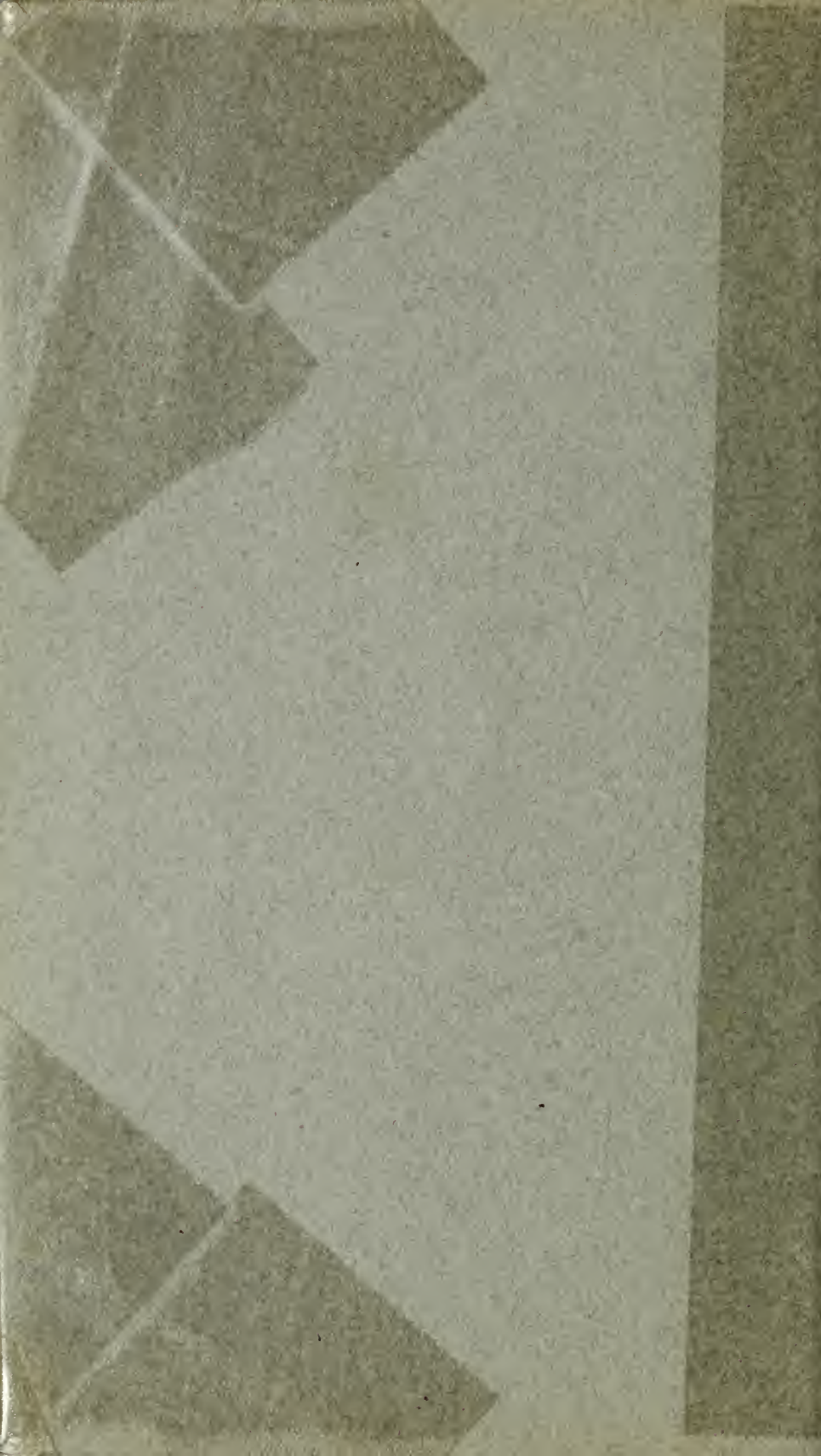
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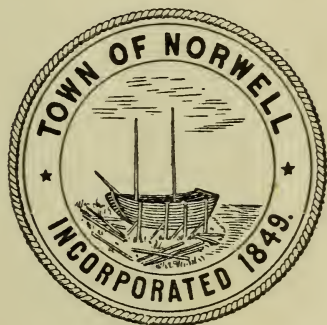
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OF THE
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OF
NORWELL



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Town Officers

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

EDWARD M. SEXTON WILLIAM J. LEONARD
GEORGE M. CURRIER

Town Clerk

JOSEPH F. MERRITT

Treasurer

HERBERT E. ROBBINS

Tax Collector

WILLIAM H. SPENCER

Surveyor of Highways

WALTER T. OSBORN

School Committee

BENJAMIN LORING MRS. AMY SYLVESTER
MRS. NELLIE L. SPARRELL

Auditor

ELIOT W. CROWELL

Board of Health

JOHN F. WILDER MINOT WILLIAMSON
JOSEPH F. MERRITT

Constables

WALTER T. OSBORN FRED A. STODDARD
J. WARREN FOSTER JOHN F. WILDER
LESTER D. WEST

Cemetery Committee

W. WALLACE FARRAR ARTHUR T. STODDARD
HERBERT G. SIMMONS

Tree Warden

FRED M. CURTIS

Scaler of Weights and Measures

J. WARREN FOSTER

Field Drivers

THE CONSTABLES

Officers Appointed by Selectmen

Registrars of Voters

JOSEPH F. MERRITT

JEREMIAH H. LEHAN

HENRY J. TOLMAN

WILLIAM O. PROUTY

Warden of Almshouse

ALONZO C. CHISHOLM

Forest Fire Warden

ARTHUR COOMBS

Gypsy Moth Agent

FRED M. CURTIS

Inspector of Animals

J. WARREN FOSTER

Inspectors of Slaughtered Animals

AMOS H. TILDEN

ALPHEUS DAMON

Surveyors of Lumber, Wood and Bark

BERT RICHARDSON

JOHN WHALEN

W. D. TURNER

ARTHUR T. STODDARD

BENJAMIN LORING

F. E. HENDERSON

JOHN E. LESLIE

J. FRANK TURNER

Keeper of Lockup

ALONZO C. CHISHOLM

Town Weigher

ALONZO C. CHISHOLM

Report of Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 7—14, 1921.

Pursuant to a warrent under the hands of the Selectmen, duly executed and return, thereof, made by Walter T. Osborn, a constable of Norwell, the inhabitants of the Town qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs, met at Town Hall on Monday, March 7, at 7 P. M. and took action as follows:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

John Whalen was elected Moderator, by ballot. He was sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 2. To hear the reports of the several boards of officers and committees of the Town and act thereon.

Voted that the reports of the officers, as printed, be accepted.

The committee chosen to look into the matter of a "Central School Building" reported progress and it was voted that they serve another year.

Article 3. To make necessary appropriations to defray the expenses of the Town, and for other purposes and to raise such sums of money as the Town shall deem expedient.

Voted to appropriate the following sums:

Support of Poor	\$ 1800 00
Almshouse	2500 00
Support of Schools	12500 00
Highways, including tarvia work	13500 00
Removing Snow	1500 00
Memorial Day	250 00
Sate Aid	1500 00
Soldiers' Relief	400 00
Town Officers	2400 00
Washington Street Cemetery	75 00
Tree Warden	50 00
Mowing Bushes	300 00
Board of Health	500 00
Inspection of Slaughtering	150 00
School Physcian	100 00
Square and Triangles	200 00
Town Hall	75 00
Electric Lights	500 00
James Library	300 00
Fire Department	300 00
Gypsy Moth	536 57
Superintendent of Schools	500 00
Interest	1950 00
State and County Taxes	6000 00
Gaffield Park	25 00
Incidentals	2000 00
Spraying Elms	200 00
Maintenance Plymouth County Hospital	438 54

Other appropriations and amounts authorized under different articles:

Plymouth County Trustees	\$ 100 00
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Ridge Hill Public Library	50 00
School and District Nurse Association	1200 00
Electric Lights in Town Hall	170 00
Shingle and Repair Roof at No. 2 School House	200 00
Summer Street, special	600 00
Lincoln and Mt. Blue Streets, special	1500 00
Central Stree special	5,000 00

Voted to raise by taxation the amount necessary to carry out the appropriation not otherwise provided for, and assess it on the polls and estates of residents and on the estates of non-residents.

Article 4. What compensation will the Town make for removing snow and appropriate money for the same?

Voted to pay 50 cents per hour for shoveling snow.

Article 5. In what manner and time shall the taxes be collected for the ensuing year?

Voted that the Statutes cover the collection of taxes.

Article 6. To make allowance to Town creditors.

A bill for janitor services at Town Hall was presented by Floyd Osborn. After discussion it was voted to lay it on the table.

No other bills were presented.

Article 7. What sum of money will the Town appropriate for the use of Post 112, G. A. R. on Memorial Day?

Appropriatioin made under Article 3, \$250.00.

Article 8. Will the Town cause a statement of its financial affairs to be printed in February next?

Voted that a report be printed February, 1922.

Article 9. Will the Town appropriate a sum of money to be expended in the cemetery on Washington Street?

Voted to appropriate \$75.00 under Article 3.

Article 10. What price will the Town pay for labor on the highway for the ensuing year?

Voted that the Highway Surveyor use his own discretion in fixing price.

Article 11. What action will the Town take in regard to keeping the sidewalks in repair.

Voted to leave the care of sidewalks in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 12. Will the Town give any instructions to Town Officers?

Voted that the Highway Surveyor render to the citizens of the Town, by having printed in the next annual report, the amount of money expended for scraping and also money spent separately on each street in the Town for oil and repairs for the ensuing year; also to add a summary of amounts spent.

Article 13. What price will the Town pay for work at fires for the ensuing year?

Voted that it be left to the Forest Warden to fix price.

Article 14. Will the Town take any action in regard to the care of parks, squares and triangles and make any appropriation for the same?

Appropriation of \$200.00 made under Article 3. Expended under direction of Tree Warden.

Article 15. Will the Town make any appropriation for the James Library?

Voted to appropriate \$300.00 for James Library under Article 3.

Article 16. Will the Town act with the Town of Hanover to have electric lights at the junction of River Street, Norwell, and Broadway, Hanover, and at Assinippi?

Voted to act with Hanover to maintain lights at these locations.

Article 17. Will the Town appropriate the sum of \$536.57 for the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths?

Appropriation made under Article 3.

Article 18. What sum of money will the Town appropriate to pay the Superintendent of Schools?

Voted to appropriate \$500.00 under Article 3.

Article 19. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars for the purpose of fighting fires?

Voted to appropriate \$300.00 for fires under Article 3.

Article 20. What sum of money will the Town appropriate for the spraying of elm trees along the highways?

Voted to appropriate \$200.00 for spraying elms under Article 3.

Article 21. What sum of money will the Town appropriate for electric lights?

Voted to appropriate \$500.00 under Article 3.

Article 22. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money on and after January 1, 1922, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1922 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1922.

It was voted that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money on and after January 1, 1922, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1922, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1922.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture the sum of \$100.00 and choose a Town Director as provided in Chapter 273, Acts of 1918 and act thereon.

Voted to appropriate \$100.00 and Horace T. Fogg was chosen Town Director.

Article 24. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the Ridge Hill Public Library?

Voted to appropriate \$50.00 for the Ridge Hill Public Library.

Article 25. Will the Town vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$1,200.00 for the services of a School and District Nurse for the ensuing year?

Voted to appropriate \$1,200.00 for School and District Nurse, the money to be spent under the direction of the District Nurse Association of Norwell.

Article 26. Will the Town resind the vote taken at the Special Town Meeting, April 23, 1919, whereby it was voted to accept the provisions of Chapter 284 of the Acts of 1915 as amended by Chapter 59, Acts of 1916, or give any further instructions to the Selectmen in regard to the time of calling Annual Town Meeting, or take any action relative to the same.

Voted not to resind this vote.

Article 27. Will the Town vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to install electric lights in the Town Hall.

Voted to appropriate \$170.00 to wire and equip the Town Hall for electric lights.

Article 28. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$200.00 to repair the roof of District No. 2 School House?

Voted to appropriate \$200.00 to shingle and repair roof at District No. 2 School House.

Article 29. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money to gravel and tarvia the road on Summer Street from Lincoln Ellms to the Scituate line, the gravel to be procured from the pit of Joseph Whitcomb of Beechwood.

Will the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the repairing and resurfacing of Lincoln and Mt. Blue Streets from the Hingham line to Cushing Corner?

Voted to appropriate \$600.00 for repairing Summer Street as called for in above article.

Voted to appropriate \$1,500 for repairing Lincoln and Mt. Blue Streets, both amounts under the direction of Highway Surveyor.

Article 30. Will the Town convey to the Church Hill Cemetery Corporation all the right title and interest it may have in the old cemetery and the adjoining lands or any part thereof at Church Hill and authorize the Selectmen to sign, execute and deliver in its name and behalf a quit claim deed of the same?

Voted that the Town convey to the Church Hill Cemetery Corporation, all right, title and interest it may have in that part of the Old Cemetery and adjoining lands at Church Hill, shown on plan drawn by Harrison L. House, E.E., dated October, 1920, and marked "Land to be conveyed to Church Hill Cemetery Corporation" and we hereby authorize the Selectmen to sign, execute and deliver to said Church Hill Cemetery Corporation, a quit claim deed conveying the same.

Article 31. Will the Town appropriate a sum not to exceed \$5,000.00 to be expended with like appropriations from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the County of Plymouth as provided by Chapter 155, Acts of 1918 and other Acts in amendment thereto and connection therewith, for highway construction on Central Street as petitioned by the Selectmen, and further authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow a sum not to exceed five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars and issue bonds or notes of the Town, bearing interest payable semi-annually and principal payable in five equal annual payments, to provide for said construction?

It was voted by a unanimous vote, 98 voting in favor, none against, to appropriate a sum not to exceed (\$5,000.00) five thousand dollars to be expended with like appropriations from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the County of Plymouth, as provided by Chapter 155, Acts of 1918 and other Acts in amendment thereto and connection therewith, for highway construction on Central Street as petitioned by the Selectmen, and further authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow a sum not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) and issue bonds or notes of the Town bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 5 3-4 per cent., payable semi-annually and principal payable in five equal annual payments to provide for said construction.

Article 32. Will the Town vote to install an electric light near the residence of Henry F. Vining on Washington Street?

Voted to refer to the Selectmen.

Article 33. Will the Town vote to appropriate a sum of money sufficient to surface Oak Street from Washington to High with tar or act in any manner thereon?

Voted to take \$500.00 from the general highway appropriation for this purpose.

Article 34. What salary and compensation will the Town vote to pay all its elected officers. To conform with Sec. 95 of the Revised Laws as amended by Sec. 8 of Chapter 591 of 1920.

Voted the following salaries:

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of Poor	\$5.00 per day
Constables	4.50 per day
Highway Surveyor	4.50 per day
Board of Health	4.50 per day
Tree Warden	4.50 per day
Town Clerk	\$135.00
Treasurer	225.00
Tax Collector	225.00
Auditor	50.00
Secretary School Committee	100.00
Other Members of School Committee .	25.00
Moderator for Services	10.00

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to grant and convey to James H. Barnard the lot of land at the Southeast corner of his present property, containing approximately one acre, land on which former District School House No. 6 now stands?

Voted that the Treasurer be authorized and instructed in behalf of the Town to execute and deliver a quit claim deed of above named lot of land.

Article 36. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to provide, in conjunction with the Town of Hanover and Geo. W. Beale for adequate liability insurance for the protection of passenger on the Norwell-Rockland jitney line?

Voted to pass over.

Article 37. Will the Town maintain three electric lights on Sumner Street or take any action in regard to the same?

Voted to refer this matter to the Selectmen.

Article 38. Will the Town accept the provisions of Chap. 94, Sec. 120 of the General Laws?

Voted to accept the provisions of said Chapter.

Article 39. Or act or do anything relative to the above.

Voted that the thanks of the Town be extended to Mr. Arthur Coombs for his generosity in providing the Town with a fire truck.

The fish rights were purchased by Wm. D. Turner at one dollar each.

W. W. Farrar, Arthur T. Stoddard and Herbert G. Simmons were chosen as Cemetery Committee for Washington Street Cemetery.

Subsequent meeting for the election of officers on Monday, the fourteenth day of March, 1921, then and there to act on the following article:

Article 40. To bring in their votes for a Town Clerk for one year; one Selectman, one Assessor, and one Overseer of the Poor for three years; one Selectman, one Assessor and one Overseer of Poor for one year to fill vacancy, a Treasurer, a Collector of Taxes, an Auditor, a Surveyor of Highways, five Constables and a Tree Warden for one year, one member of the School Committee for three years, one member of the Board of Health for three years, and one member of the Board of Health for one year, to fill vacancy; to elect three Trustees for the Ridge Hill Library, one for three years, one for two years and one for one year, and to vote yes or no in answer to the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?" all on one ballot. Polls open from 6 A. M. to 11 A. M.

Pursuant to the above article the qualified voters met at the time and place and took action as follows: 422 ballots were cast. On being canvassed in open meeting they were found to be for the following persons:

Town Clerk (for one year)

Joseph F. Merritt	372
Herbert E. Robbins	1
Blanks	49

Selectman (for three years)

Edward M. Sexton	350
Blanks	72

Assessor (for three years)

Edward M. Sexton	343
Blanks	79

 Overseer of Poor (for three years)

Edward M. Sexton	342
Blanks	80

Selectmen (for one to fill vacancy)

Marion N. Brainerd	104
George M. Currier	210
William D. Turner	89
Blanks	19

Assessor (for one year to fill vacancy)

Marion N. Brainerd	98
George M. Currier	200
William D. Turner	81
Blanks	43

Overseers of Poor (for one year to fill vacancy)

Marion N. Brainerd	103
George M. Currier	194
William D. Turner	85
Blanks	40

Treasurer (for one year)

Herbert E. Robbins	377
Blanks	45

Collector of Taxes (for one year)

William H. Spencer	355
Blanks	47

Auditor (for one year)

Elliott W. Crowell	336
Walter S. Crane, Jr.	1
Blanks	85

Highway Surveyor (for one year)

Edward A. Jacobs	157
Walter T. Osborn	232
Harry G. Pinson	16
Blanks	17

Constables (for one year)

J. Warren Foster	303
Walter T. Osborn	318
Lester D. West	275
John F. Wilder	269
Fred H. Stoddard	19
Scattering Votes	34
Blanks	891

School Committee (for three years)

Amy W. Sylvester	339
Blanks	83

Board of Health (for three years)

Minot Williamson	312
Blanks	110

Board of Healthh (for one year)

Joseph F. Merritt	324
Blanks	98

Tree Warden (for one year)

Fred M. Curtis	318
Blanks	104

Library Trustee (for three years)

William J. Leonard	295
Blanks	127

Library Trustee (for two years)

William O. Prouty	269
Blanks	153

Library Trustee (for one year)

Alfred H. Prouty	251
Blanks	171

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town.

Yes	140
No	187
Blanks	95

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Monday, May 16, 1921

Pursuant to a warrant under the hands of the Selectmen, duly executed and return thereof made to the Town Clerk, by Walter T. Osborn, a constable of Norwell, the qualified voters of the Town met at the Town Hall on Monday the sixteenth day of May at 7.30 P. M. and took the following action on the several articles contained in the warrent:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

John Whalen was chosen Moderator by ballot, he was sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 2. To see what instructions the Town will give the Selectmen in regard to the resurfacing and new construction of Bridge Street, and appropriate money for the same.

A motion to resurface and tarvia Bridge Street and instruct the Highway Surveyor to charge the work against the general road appropriation was voted down.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appropriate a sufficient sum of money to purchase a flag for the use of the Town.

Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to purchase a new flag and to expend from the incidental account such amount as may be necessary up to seventy-five dollars.

Article 4. To see if the Town will appropriate \$3,968.92 to pay its portion of the cost of the Plymouth County Hospital, and authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow a sum not exceeding said sum, and issue therefor notes or bonds of the Town bearing interest payable semi-annually, the principal payable in such annual payments as will extinguish the debt within eight years.

It was voted by a unanimous vote, seventeen voting in favor, none voting against, that there be appropriated the sum of \$3,968.92 to pay the Town's share of the Plymouth County Tuberculosis Hospital, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter III of the General Laws; and to meet said appropriation that there be raised in the levy of the current year the sum of \$468.92; and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$3,500.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provision of Chapter III of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than seven years from the date of issue of the first bond or note or at such earlier dates as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine.

Article 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the stone crusher or act in any manner thereon.

Voted that the Selectmen may sell the stone crusher to the best advantage but in any event not less than \$150.00.

Article 6. Or act or do anything relative to the above

Voted that meeting be dissolved.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. MERRITT

Town Clerk

LICENSES ISSUED

89 Resident Combination Hunting & Fishing....	\$89.00
2 Resident Fishing	1.00
9 Minor Trapping	2.25
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	\$92.25
Clerks Fees, 100 licenses at 15 cts.	15.00
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Forwarded to Division of Fisheries and Game	\$77.25

DOGS LICENSED

For year ending Dec. 1, 1921.

Whole number licensed 97.

80 males at \$2.00	\$160.00
17 Females at \$5.00	85.00
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	\$245.00
Clerks Fees, 97 licenses at 20 cts..	19.40
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Forwarded to County Treasurer .	\$225.60

ENROLLED MILITIA

Number of Males 18 to 45 enrolled for military duty
April 1, 1921:—149.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN NORWELL DURING
THE YEAR 1921

February 19. Married in Cohasset, George R. Wagner of Norwell and Emma May Ellis of Scituate, by Linneos M. Bosworth.

April 16. Married in Boston, Joseph Bernard Sousa and Marian Eleanor Boynton, both of Norwell, by Samuel B. Harvey, Justice of the Peace.

April 19. Married in Scituate, Humphrey William Turner of Norwell and Lois Harriet Clapp of Scituate, by Rev. Lewis Edward Perry.

May 28. Married in Haverhill, Ralph Gordon Lambert of Norwell and Edith Frances Mott of Scituate, by Rev. Silas L. Morse.

August 6. Married in Norwell, Louis M. Lyons of Amherst and Margaret Wade Tolman of Norwell, by Rev. Edwin H. Gibson.

August 20. Married in Honover, Gustof W. Peterson and Anna C. Anderson, both of Norwell, by Rev. William H. Nobbs.

September 10. Married in Norwell, Morton Elmer Arnold of Pembroke and Ruth Elliott Kidder of Norwell, by Rev. Frederick H. Kidder.

September 10. Married in Norwell, George William Fletcher and Mildred Gertrude Daniels, both of Rockland, by Rev. Frederick H. Kidder.

October 1. Married in Hanover, Ralph Burbank and Lora Ellsworth Thomas, both of Norwell, by Rev. Edwin H. Gibson.

October 15. Married in Hanover, Frederick A. Stoddard and Carrie Bachelder, both of Norwell, by Rev. Edwin H. Gibson.

October 16. Married in Framingham, William H. Brown of Norwell and Eva C. Rilotte of Framingham, by Rev. J. F. Hoffermau.

October 29. Married in Hanover, Chester A. Bell of Norwell and Blanche Olive Winslow of Hanover, by Rev. Edward H. Gibson.

November 3. Married in Rockland, Roy George MacKenzie of Norwell and Elizabeth May Pinson of Hanover, by Herman L. Studley, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.

December 31. Married in Boston, Dana W. Morey of Norwell and Violet Roberts of Boston, by Rev. Benjamin A. Millmoth.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN NORWELL DURING THE YEAR 1921

DATE OF BIRTH	NAME OF CHILD	NAMES OF PARENTS	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER
January 24	Sylvia H. Dyer	Theodore M. and Gertrude W.	Leslie
January 30	Priscilla Louise Merritt	Harry B. and Elizabeth A.	DeLorey
February 7	Ellsworth Lincoln Farrar	George R. and Minnie C.	Fitts
April 10	John Campbell	Thomas and Anna L.	Tasker
April 25	George Albert Strachan	John and Janet A.	Wren
June 18	William James Cutler Weatherby	Lyman A. and Bessie E.	Cutler
June 26	Miriam Perry	Manus W. and Dora F.	Vinal
August 26	Ruth Madeline Torrey	Everett and Ethel F.	Stoddard
August 31	Roma Deborah Darling	Edward F. and Agnes	
September 26	Audrey P. Snowdale	Lloyd A. and Bessie W.	Herring
September 11	Roger Warren Apts	Herbert W. and Doris A.	Litchfield
September 29	Beverly Beatrice Beach	Howard W. and Mildred F.	Prince
October 14	Ruth Gooch	Adelbert and Mildred	Brooks
October 21	Marjorie Elizabeth Turner	Herbert S. and Clara W.	Holt
October 30	John Louis Amicone	Joseph and Lucy	Di Cesare
November 6	Anna May Hartwell	Nathan H. and Ethel M.	Burns
December 4	Edson Lawrence White	Patrick L. and Ella W.	Pratt
December 19	John George Gardner	Bertrand L. and Martha M.	Wolfendale
July 31	John Stinson	James W. and Christie A.	Jennings
Jan. 26, 1899	Paul Sherman Staples	Frank S. and Lucy Carrie	Osborne
July 8, 1902	Beulah Elizabeth Staples	Frank S. and Lucy Carrie	Osborne
Sept. 23, 1918	Henry Wilbur Ainslie, Jr.	Henry Wilbur and Mary Eliza'th	Almeida
October 4, 1920	Francis Martin Hume	Samuel H. and Rose A.	Almeida
March 31, 1905	Charlotte Ruby Briggs	Walter S. and Charlotte	Osborne
June 27, 1905	Bernice Marion Damon	Wallace H. and Fanny N.	Crocker

Blanks for returning births will be furnished by the Town Clerk. All errors or omissions in above list should be reported.

BROUGHT INTO TOWN FOR BURIAL IN 1921.

DATE OF DEATH	NAME	AGE			CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OF DEATH
		Y.	M.	D.		
January 3	John Corthell	84	3	18	Rectic Stenosis	Chelsea
January 23	Martha Wilder Curtis	77	11	21	Valvular Disease of Heart; Bronchitis	Bethel, Vermont
March 16	Belle Fremont Smith (Wilder)	39	8	17	Carcinoma	Weymouth
September 4	Martha Cottle Chamberlin	54	5	25	Cancer of Liver	Hanover
October 24	Fred B. Merritt	65	..	..	Arterio Sclerosis	Boston
November 5	Adaline L. Greene	83	9	2	Mitral Stenosis	Whitman
November 12	Emma Isabel Towne (Nash)	74	10	11	Cerebral Thrombosis	Wellesley
March 9, 1912	Dorothy Stetson	1	5	4	Lobar Pneumonia	Medford
August 4, 1918	Charles E. Tibbetts . . . . .	..	..	..	Lobar Pneumonia	Hingham
January 5, 1919	Minnie Louise Bater	19	10	17	Lobar Pneumonia	Hingham

Number of Births—25.

Number of Marriages—14.

Number of Deaths—23.

JOSEPH F. MERRITT, Town Clerk.

Report of Selectmen

TOWN OFFICERS ACCOUNT

Edward M. Sexton, services as Selectman, Assessor and Over- seer of Poor	\$465.19
William J. Leonard, services as Selectman, Assessor and Over- seer of Poor	456.25
George M. Currier, services as Selectman, Assessor and Over- seer of Poor	215.00
L. E. Fessenden, services as Select- man, Assessor and Overseer of Poor	66.00
Joseph F. Merritt, Town Clerk	155.00
Joseph F. Merritt, Registrar of Voters	35.00
William H. Spencer, Tax Collector, 1918	25.00
William H. Spencer, Tax Collector, 1919	100.00
William H. Spencer, Tax Collector, 1920	100.00
Herbert E. Robbins, services Treasurer	275.00

Elliott W. Crowell, services,	
Auditor	50.00
Nellie M. Sparrell, services, School	
Committee	100.00
J. Warren Foster, Inspector of	
Animals	51.00
J. Warren Foster, Inspector Weights	
and Measures	15.25
Henry J. Tolman, services,	
Registrar, 1920	25.00
J. H. Lehan, services,	
Registrar, 1920	25.00
John C. McLean, services, Teller..	4 00
Harry G. Pinson, services, Teller	
1920	4.00
Amos H. McLean, services, Teller .	4 00
Amos H. Tilden, services, Teller	
1920	4.00
Geo. N. Currier, services as Teller,	
1920	4.00
Carleton O. Litchfield, services,	
Teller, 1920	4.00
Carleton O. Litchfield, services,	
Teller,	4.00
John Whalen, services, Teller, 1920	4.00
John Whalen, services, Teller and	
Moderator	15.00
Benjamin Loring, services School	
Committee	25.00
Lester D. West, services, Constable .	162.50
Walter T. Osborn, services,	
Constable	161.00
Perry H. Osborn, services, Assisting	
Constable	2.00

Theo. M. Dyer, services, Special	
Officer	11.25
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Appropriation	\$2,567.44
	2,400.00
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Exceeded	\$167.44

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT

J. H. Sparrell, auto service;	
Board of Registrars	\$2.75
Town Clerk	5.50
Police Dept., 1920	65.50
Police Dept., 1921	75.50
Selectmen	35.50
2nd Dist. Court	23 00
E. P. Joseph, Dixon Case	16.00
H. D. Smith, Dixon Case	24.00
L. E. Fessenden, Dixon Case	22.00
J. T. Clifford, Dixon Case	12.25
Pitkin & Pitkin, Dixon Case	30.00
W. B. Foster, Dixon Case	135.95
Thos. H. Buttimer, Dixon Case	519.39
Thos. H. Buttimer, Union Bridge bill*	200.00
Thos. H. Buttimer, legal service ..	13.00
Fidelity & Deposit Co.,	
Tax Collector's Bond	50.00
Fidelity & Deposit Co.,	
Treasurer's Bond	50.00
Travelers' Ins. Co., ad. premium,	
Moth Ins. Liab., 1920	34.73
* One-half to be refunded by Town of Marshfield.	

Wm. H. Spencer, stamps	92.93
Town of Marshfield, Union Bridge account	158.47
J. L. Fairbanks & Co., supplies	21.00
J. F. Merritt, Rec. births, mgs. and deaths	37.00
J. F. Merritt, expense account. ....	.45
A. W. Babbitt, supplies	4.50
L. E. Fessenden, expense account	13.35
E. M. Sexton, expense account	37.21
Wm. J. Leonard, expense account ..	20.78
Geo. M. Currier, expense account ..	32.15
Geo. M. Currier, auto service, Selectmen	85.00
W. F. Turner, auto service, Selectmen	5.25
Jos. F. Totman, auto service, Selectmen	2.00
Walter B. Foster, services, Wash- ington Street case	10.00
Walter B. Foster, services Grove Street case	44.00
W. E. Woodside, photos., Grove Street case	18.00
Francis J. Geogan, services, Randall, Kerr & Fuller cases .	30.00
C. W. & E. H. Sparrell, returning 17 deaths, 1920	4.25
Four Physicians, returning births ..	4.00
Thorp & Martin, supplies	3.45
Carrie M. Ford, printing	34.41
W. & L. E. Gurley, supplies	5.09
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., tolls	17.40
Hobbs & Warren, supplies	19.13
Phillips, Bates & Co., supplies	8.38

Calvin S. West & Son, supplies	10.50	
Perry H. Osborn, auto service		
Police Dept.	5.00	
Perry H. Osborn, work on boiler . . .	2.00	
Fred C. Joseph, work on boiler . . .	2.00	
H. W. Apts., Wagner case	5.00	
Rockland Standard Pub. Co., Town		
Reports	280.50	
Rockland Standard Pub. Co., printing	36.00	
A. W. Brownell Corp., supplies . . .	3.00	
Walter T. Osborn, moving safes . .	10.00	
John Whalen, refund	22.09	
Model Typewriter Exchange		
typewriter	25.00	
H. E. Robbins, Notary	5.00	
Dr. H. T. Handy, Committing		
W. H. Morse	4.00	
Wm. J. Leonard, 8 Traffic Signs . .	18.00	
W. C. Soule, 2 Traffic Signs	6.00	
John T. Osborn, Assisting Constable.	2.00	
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		\$2,509.36
Appropriation		2,000.00
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Exceeded		\$509.36

MISCELLANEOUS APROPRIATIONS

ABATEMENT OF TAXES

Wm. H. Spencer, abatement acct. 1918	\$53.14	
Wm. H. Spencer, abatement acct. 1919	75.85	
Wm. H. Spencer, abatement acct. 1920	303.36	
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		\$432.35

 JAMES LIBRARY

Paid Mrs. M. L. F. Powers

Treasurer \$300.00

Appropriation \$300.00

RIDGE HILL LIBRARY

Paid W. J. Leonard \$50.00

Appropriation \$50.00

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. W. P. Grovestein, services, 1920 \$100.00

Dr. W. P. Grovestein, services, 1921 100.00

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 Appropriation \$100.00

RIVER STREET SPECIAL APPROPRIATION, 1920

Arthur J. Mitchell, balance \$759.00

Balance of appropriation from 1920. 646.71

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 Exceeded \$112.29

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Mrs. Howard Beach, aid \$56.00

Dr. W. P. Grovestein, med. att. 45.00

Augustus Hatch, aid 72.00

Elizabeth C. Creed, rent 52.00

Dr. T. B. Alexander, med. att. 18.00

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 Appropriation 400.00

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 Balance unexpended \$157.00

TOWN HALL

Alexander Brown, janitor	\$18.00	
Floyd H. Osborn, janitor, 1920.....	35.00	
Alexander Brown, carpenter work...	4.80	
H. E. Robbins, insurance	33.75	
Electric Light & Power Co., lights ..	2.56	
		<hr/>
		\$94.11
Appropriation		75.00
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Exceeded		\$19.11

VISITING NURSE APPROPRIATION

Paid Mrs. Marion Sauer	\$1000.00	
Appropriation	1200.00	
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Balance		\$200.00

FLAG APROPRIATION

Boston Regalia Co., flag	\$31.65	
George F. Welch Co., rope	1.25	
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		\$32.90
Appropriation		75.00
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Balance		\$42.10

NO. 2 SCHOOL HOUSE

Harry B. Merritt, shingles and labor..	\$192.45	
Appropriation	200.00	
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Balance		\$7.55

WIRING TOWN HALL

Elec. Light & Power Co., wiring	\$169.00	
Appropriation	170.00	
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Balance		\$1.00

 WASHINGTON STREET CEMETERY

H. G. Simmons, labor	\$28.50	
Walter Cutter, labor	13.25	
F. S. Farrar, labor	8.00	
W. W. Farrar, labor	16.00	
W. W. Farrar, pump	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$69.75

LOTS SOLD

Catherine M. Gurney, 37, Sec. B. ..	\$10.00	
Otto C. Bates, 43 Sec. B.	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$20.00
		\$49.75
Appropriation		\$75.00
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Balance		\$25.25

MEMORIAL DAY APPROPRIATION

Paid G. A. R. Committee	\$250.00	
Appropriation	<hr/>	\$250.00

PLYMOUTH COUNTY HOSPITAL

Maintenance	\$438.54	
Construction	468.92	
	<hr/>	\$907.46
Appropriation		\$907.46

CENTRAL STREET APPROPRIATION

Advertising	\$46.15	
Weigher	97.50	
J. W. O'Connell, contractor.....	9,423.52	
	<hr/>	\$9,567.17

Received from State	\$4,282.00	
Received from County	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$9,282.00
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		\$285.17
Appropriation		5,000.00
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Balance		\$4,714.83

EDWARD M. SEXTON
WILLIAM J. LEONARD
GEORGE M. CURRIER

Selectmen

Report of Assessors

Taxable Real Estate, April...	\$1,171,155.00	
Taxable Real Estate Dec.	575.00	
Taxable Personal Estate, April ..	255,675.00	
Taxable Personal Estate, Dec.	710.00	
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		\$1,428,115.00
Exempted Real Estate	\$21,615.00	
Exempted Personal Estate	515.00	
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		\$22,130.00

Total Valuation\$1,428,115.00

Total Valuation, 1921 1,341,430.00

Increase	<hr/> 86,685.00
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Tax Rate, 1921	\$38.00 per \$1,000.00
Town Tax, including overlay	47,063.08
County Tax	2,443.76
State Tax	3,780.00
Special State Tax	178.20
St. R. R. Tax	64.40
Plymouth County Hospital	468.92
Plymouth County Hospital, maintenance.....	438.54
Persons Assessed	1 017
Poll Tax Only	80
Polls Assessed	434
Total Number Polls	505
Polls Exempt	71

Number Acres of Land	12 787
Number of Dwelling Houses	521
Number of Horses	173
Number of Cows	187
Number of Neat Cattle	57
Number of Sheep	60
Number of Swine	32
Number of Fowl	7,840

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GEORGE M. CURRIER

Assessors

Report of Overseers of Poor

ALMSHOUSE

James H. Pinkham, Supt.	\$75.00
A. C. Chisholm, Supt.	333.33
Geo. S. Corthell, supplies	256.32
I. Austin Lincoln, supplies	56.07
Calvin S. West & Son, supplies	295.47
H. S. Turner & Co., supplies	215.89
Geo. F. Welch Co., coal and supplies.	304.04
Mrs. Jennie Henderson, services as Matron	58.00
Mrs. Jennie Henderson, paid for laundry	7.83
Sidney S. Gates, supplies	24.44
A. C. Chisholm, paid for supplies ..	91.11
A. C. Chisholm, paid for laundry ..	39.51
Dr. H. T. Handy, med. att.	39.00
Nathan Cushing Est., 10 cords wood.	50.00
Arthur T. Stoddard, sawing wood ..	15.00
Electric Light & Power Co., lights ..	80.64
J. F. Merritt, pasturing and horse .	17.75
Belle B. Tucker, supplies.....	3.00
J. J. Estes, supplies	4.45
Wm. H. Spencer, paper & box rent..	5.25
J. A. Martin, ice	28.02
Chas. W. Tilden, work and material .	39.00
Luther D. Studley, work and material .	14.75

W. T. Osborn, plowing, harrowing and mowing	20.00	
Harry S. Merritt, labor and stock ..	16.15	
G. L. Downing, supplies	2.08	
Phillips, Bates & Co., supplies	87.60	
Harrison Wilder, grass	5.00	
A. W. Pinson, lumber	1.60	
Fred'k. T. Bailey & Co., supplies and labor	11.75	
Franklin Pub. Co., adv.	1 50	
Standard Pub. Co., adv.	1.20	
James H. Pinkham, supplies and laundry	23.53	
	<hr/>	\$2,224.28

RECEIPTS

Board	\$84.00	
Milk and Vegetables	100.21	
Weighing Hay	9.32	
Old Chair	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$195.03
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		\$2,029.25
Appropriation		\$2,500.00
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Balance Unexpended		\$470.75

POOR ACCOUNT

J. H. Sparrell, auto service	\$45.50
Dept. of Public Welfare, board	1.07 1.92
City of Brockton, board	1,243.36
City of Salem, board	114.75
Harriet E. Stoddard, board	120.00

Mass. Hospital School, board	297.14	
Town of Hingham, aid	142.10	
Louis W. Wheeler, supplies	65.03	
Henry W. Maine, aid	30.00	
Dr. W. P. Grovestein med. att.	75.00	
C. W. & E. W. Sparrell, services	18.00	
Charles E. Brewster, rent	42.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,264.80
Refund		396.03
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		\$2,868.77
Appropriation		1,800.00
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Exceeded		\$1,068.77

\$1,106.25 of expenditures for Poor are bills of 1919-1920 which were held over from last year from lack of funds in the treasury at the end of the year. Deducting that amount from this years expense account leaves a total of \$1,762.52, \$37.48 less than the appropriation.

EDWARD M. SEXTON
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GEORGE M. CURRIER

Overseers of Poor

Report of Trustees

FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE COFFIN FUND

Amount of Fund	\$2,000.00
Available interest in Bank, Jan. 1, 1921	\$191.94
Interest on Bank Book	105.24
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	\$297.18
 Paid worthy poor	 \$26.00
Available interest in bank Jan. 1, 1922	271.18
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	\$297.18

THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE ABIGAIL T. OTIS CEMETERY AND TOMB FUNDS

Amount of Funds	\$1,500.00
Interest on bank book Jan. 1, 1921 ..	\$342.73
Interest to Jan. 1, 1922	85.11
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	\$427.84
 Paid Cemetery Committee for care of lot and cemetery	 \$227.84
Interest in bank Jan. 1, 1922	200.00
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	\$427.84

THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES
OF THE ABIGAIL T. OTIS POOR FUND

Amount of Fund		\$2,000.00
Available interest in bank Jan. 1, 1921	\$61.63	
Interest on bank book	101.35	
Refund from Cemetery Fund	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$312.98
Paid inmates of almshouse	\$28.00	
Paid worthy poor	46.00	
Interest in bank Jan. 1, 1922	238.98	
	<hr/>	\$312.98

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Name of Fund	Year Deposited	Amount of Fund	Interest On Hand Jan. 1, '21	Interest Added During Year	Expended During Year	Interest On Hand Jan. 1, '22
Josselyn	1888	\$200	\$43.34	\$11.67	\$15.01	\$40.00
Samuel C. Cudworth	1892	200	62.95	12.60	5.55	70.00
Prudence C. Delano	1895	300	90.08	18.73	8.81	100.00
Nancy Hersey	1897	100	10.68	5.29	5.97	10.00
Betsey Tolman	1900	100	.98	4.82	5.80	0.00
George P. Clapp	1903	100	.98	4.82	5.80	0.00
Mary O. Robbins	1904	200	34.21	11.25	5.46	40.00
Charles H. Merritt	1905	50	5.27	2.63	7.90	0.00
James W. Sampson	1906	250	59.21	14.83	24.04	50.00
Mary O. Robbins Tomb	1907	100	30.64	6.24	11.88	25.00
Davis Damon	1907	100	20.40	5.77	6.17	20.00
Susan C. Damon	1907	100	9.46	5.24	4.70	10.00
George H. Bates	1907	100	9.38	5.24	5.62	5.00
Gad Leavitt	1909	100	12.37	5.39	17.76	0.00
Adeline A. Payne	1910	200	43.67	11.67	30.34	25.00
Thomas Sampson	1911	75	1.06	3.63	4.69	0.00
Abbie S. Bates	1915	200	39.19	11.48	7.00	43.67
Hosea J. Stockbridge	1915	200	22.30	10.55	10.00	22.85
N. P. Brownell	1916	150	15.26	7.92	23.18	0.00
John H. Knapp	1918	100	1.14	4.84	0.00	5.98
Olive H. Brigham	1919	100	4.54	5.01	9.55	0.00
Benj. P. Nichols	1921	75				

EDWARD M. SEXTON, WILLIAM J. LEONARD, GEORGE M. CURRIER, Trustees

Report of Town Treasurer

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, January 1, 1922.

General Funds	\$	58	
High School Fund		150	17
Income Sawyer Lot Fund		19	02
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			\$169 77

From William H. Spencer, Collector

Cash received on accounts of assessments:—

Year 1918	\$467	29	
Year 1919	2,252	56	
Year 1920	8,642	28	
Year 1921	38,260	72	
Poll Tax, 1921	2,030	66	
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			\$51,653 51

Abatements

Year 1918	\$2	00	
Year 1919	56	88	
Year 1920	110	22	
Year 1921	263	25	
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			\$432 35

Loans and Interest

Loans in Anticipation of Revenue

Anticipation Note No. 14	\$10 000 00
Anticipation Note No. 15	5,000 00
Anticipation Note No. 16	5,000 00

Anticipation Note No. 17	5,000 00	
Anticipation Note No. 18	5,000 00	
Anticipation Note No. 19	5,000 00	
Anticipation Note No. 21	10,000 00	
Anticipation Note No. 29	5,000 00	
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Loans for Special Purposes

Notes 22-27 Town's Share of cost of construction of Ply- mouth County Tuberculosis Hospital	\$3,500 00	
Notes 30-34 Central St. Construction	5,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$8,500 00

Interest on Deposit at Rockland Trust Co.		\$134 55
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For School Purposes Only

Income Mass. School Fund	\$3,395 38	
Tuition of Children, Comm. of Mass.	161 75	
Comm. of Mass. Refund for Supt. of Schools	622 22	
Income Tax for School Purposes	1,970 00	
County of Plymouth Dog Licenses	184 10	
Comm. of Mass. Dept. of Education	1,014 29	
Tuition of John and Mildred Gale.	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$7,357 74

From State Treasurer

Public Service Corporation Tax	\$591 37
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Corporation Tax, Foreign Service	6 21	
Refund from Commonwealth on account of assessments made on bonds of Mass. Street Railway Co.	157 70	
National Bank Tax	1,728 78	
Military Aid Refunded	30.00	
State Aid Refunded	1,524 00	
Soldiers' Exemption	217 77	
Income Tax—General Purposes		
Year 1918	30 00	
Year 1919	81 00	
Year 1920	405 00	
Year 1921	3,774 75	
Income Sawyer Lot Fund	8 00	
Inspection of Animals	25 50	
Contagious Disease	39 80	
Moth Refund	856 74	
Highway Refund Account Con- struction of Central St.	4,282 00	
		\$13,758 62
Licenses and Fees		
License No. 3024D	\$6 00	
License to sell 2nd-hand autos., 1919		
Harry W. Gardner	1 25	
Wm. D. Turner	1 25	
License to sell 2nd-hand Autos., 1920		
Harry W. Gardner	5 00	
Wm. D. Turner	5 00	
Wm. H. Ilsley	5 00	
License to sell 2nd-hand Autos., 1921		
Harry W. Gardner	5 00	
Wm. D. Turner	5 00	

Wm. H. Isley	5 00	
License to sell 2nd-hand Autos., 1922		
Wm. D. Turner	5 00	
Inn Keeper's License		
Chittenden Inn	1 00	
Half Way Inn	1 00	
Slaughtering License		
Wallace Damon	1 00	
George S. Corthell	1 00	
Walter J. Wagner	1 00	
Milk License		
Arthur Stoddard	50	
Pool Room License		
Chas. B. Totman	5 00	
Fees received for Slaughtering		
Wallace H. Damon	77 00	
Walter J. Wagner	39 00	
	<hr/>	\$170 00

Sale of Lots in Cemetery

Catherine M. Gurney, Lot 37,		
Sec. B	\$10 00	
Otto C. Bates, Lot 43,		
Sec. B.	10.00	!
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Miscellaneous

Refund for Support of Crom-		
well child	25 00	
Refund from Edward F.		
Winslow	267 00	
Refund from Second District		
Court	10 45	

Refund from W. Elliott Ford.	36 00
Refund from City of Quincy ...	68 03
Refund from Chas. Brewster ..	6 00
Refund from Town of Hanover	7 00
Board of Mrs. Cowing at	
Almshouse	84 00
Refund from J. H. Pinkham,	
Weigher	19 21
C. S. Tilden, Fish rights	2 00
A. J. Mitchell—Purchase of	
School House, District No. 4.	250 00
Pipe—River Street	22 05
Insurance of Boiler	5 00
W. F. Loud & Son, sale of	
Engine and Boiler	300 00
County of Plymouth, one-third	
cost construction of Central St.	5,000 00

Almshouse Receipts

J. H. Pinkham, sale of milk	15 03
J. H. Pinkham, weighing hay ..	9 32
Mrs. Henderson, sale of milk ..	4 20
Cash Balance received A. S.	
Chisholm	10 38
Sale of old chair	1 50
Winsor Damon, sale of lead	2 00

Moth Refund from

Dr. Hayward W. Cushing	125 45
Est. of Nathan Cushing	296.61
Miss Florence M. Cushing	45 65

 \$6,611 88

 \$138,808 42

EXPENDITURES

Highways

General Pay Roll	\$15,652 85	
Special, construction River and		
Central Streets	13,771 23	
Snow	1,332 25	
	<u> </u>	\$30,756 33

Support of Poor

Almshouse	2,153 68	
Outside Poor—Norwell	3,205 77	
Other Towns	65 03	
	<u> </u>	\$5,424 48

State Aid	1,349 00	
Soldiers' Relief	243 00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,592 00

Schools	\$22,434 56	
Moth	3,067 83	
Incidentals	2,507 36	
	<u> </u>	\$28,009 75

Town Officers	\$2,569 44	
Police Officers—Order of 2nd		
District Court	269 12	
	<u> </u>	\$2,838 56

Sundry Accounts

Board of Health	699 93	
Electric Lights	456 68	
Fire Accounts	303 20	
Union Bridge, 3rd payment ...	2,000 00	
G. A. R., Post 112 Memorial Day		
Appropriation	250 00	

Maintanance Plymouth County	
Hospital	438 54
James Library	300 00
Ridge Hill Library	50 00
Marion W. Sauer, nurse	1,000 00
Abatement of Taxes	432 35
Special Flag Appropriation	32 90
Special Appropriation for repairs at District No. 2 School	192 45
Plymouth County Farm Bureau	100 00
School Physician, services for 1920 and 1921	200 00
Special Appropriation for wiring Town Hall	169 00
Gaffield Park	25 50
Squares and Triangles	201 06
Town Hall	94 11
Mowing and Burning Bushes ..	318 50
Church Hill Imp. Asso.	27 50
Tree Warden	35 50
Washington Street Cemetery ..	69 75
Dover Stamping & Mfg. Co. ..	15 00
Plymouth County Hospital, construction	\$3,968 92
	<hr/> \$11,380 89

Taxes

State Tax	\$3,780 00
County Tax	2,443 76
Special State Tax	178 20
Civilian War Poll Tax	1,302 00
Eastern Mass. Street Railway Co.	64 40
Town of Scituate	10 22
	<hr/> \$7,778 58

Loans and Interest Paid

Loans:—

Note 13, Anticipation	\$2,500 00	
Note 12, Anticipation	10,000 00	
Note 15, Anticipation	5,000 00	
Note 14, Anticipation	10,000 00	
Notes 16-18-19 Anticipation	15,000 00	
Notes River Street		
Construction	4,000,000	
	<u> </u>	\$46,500 00

Discount and Interest

Discount Anticipation Note No. 14	\$525 27	
“ “ “ “ 15	180 44	
“ “ “ “ 16	229 56	
“ “ “ “ 17	238 93	
“ “ “ “ 18	195 82	
“ “ “ “ 19	189 23	
“ “ “ “ 21	375 38	
“ “ “ “ 29	166 37	
Interest River Street Notes	935 00	
Interest County Hospital Notes .	100 63	
Comm. of Mass. for Certifying		
Notes	40 00	
	<u> </u>	\$3,176 63
		\$137,457 22

Cash on hand to balance

General Funds	\$1,174 01	
High School Fund	150 17	
Income Sawyer Lot Fund	27 02	
	<u> </u>	\$1,351 20
		<u> </u>
		\$138,808 42

HERBERT E. ROBBINS, Treas.

Report of Tax Collector

ASSESSMENT OF 1918

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1920	\$486.36	
Interest Collected	36.48	
	<hr/>	\$522.84

Abatements	\$ 2.00	
Paid Treasurer	467.29	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1921	53.55	
	<hr/>	\$522.84

ASSESSMENT OF 1919

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1920	\$2,758.00	
Interest Collected	159.14	
Cash on Hand	40.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,957.14

Abatements	\$ 56.88	
Paid Treasurer	2,252.56	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1921	647.70	
	<hr/>	\$2,957.14

ASSESSMENT 1920

Uncollected Dec., 31, 1920	\$13,567.09	
Polls Uncollected	25.00	
Interest Collected	308.10	
	<hr/>	\$13,900.19

Abatements	\$ 110.22	
Paid Treasurer	8,642.28	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1921	5,147.69	
	<hr/>	\$13,900.19

ASSESSMENT OF 1921

Polls (Warrant Committed April 30, 1921)	\$ 2,145.00	
Tax Levy	54,975.22	
December Assessment	222.23	
Interest Collected	38.68	
	<hr/>	57,381.13

Abatements	\$ 263.25	
Paid Treasurer	40,291.38	
Cash on Hand	50.68	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1921	16,775.82	
	<hr/>	\$57,381.13

WM. H. SPENCER

Tax Collector

Report of Highway Surveyor

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

RIVER STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 10 days, at \$4.50	\$45.00
Signal Truck, 1-2 day, at \$15.00	7.50
Signal Truck, 5 3-4 days, at \$20	115.00
Ford Truck, 1 day, at \$3.50....	3.50
Ford Truck, 2 days, at \$5.....	10.00
Ford Truck, 6 days, at \$7	42.00
Team, 7 1-2 days, at \$4	30.00
Fred C. Joseph, 6 1-2 days at \$4 ..	26.00
Charles A. Taylor, 9 1-2 days at \$4	38.00
Atwood Ainslie, 4 days at \$4	16.00
Perry H. Osborn, 4 days at \$4 ..	16.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 9 days at \$4 ..	36.00
Joseph F. Totman, 4 days at \$4 ..	16.00
John Whalen and team 8 days at \$8	64.00
B. Franklin Burns and team	
7 1-2 days at \$8	60.00
John T. Osborn, 7 days at \$4	28.00
George Chamberlain, 7 1-2 days	
at \$4	30.00
Perley C. Keene, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Wesley Osborne and team,	
2 day at \$8	16.00
Henry McHugh, 5 days at \$4	20.00

Alfred Bates, 4 days at \$4	16.00	
John A. Martin, 2 days at \$4	8.00	
Charles H. Jones, 3 days at \$4 ...	12.00	
Robert Goosby, 6 1-2 days at \$4 ..	26.00	
J. Foster Merritt, Jr., 1-4 day at \$4	1 00	
John E. Leslie, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Francis E. Henderson, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Phillips, Bates & Co., rake	2.74	
Frank L. Thomas, gravel	4.65	
Nathan Turner, gravel	10.16	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., freight and demurrage on tank car..	173.63	
The Barrett Company, cold patching material	113.08	
The Barrett Company, Tarvia	985.80	
	<hr/>	\$1,980.06
Credit:		
The Barrett Company, Freight and demurrage	\$173.63	
	<hr/>	\$1,806.43

MAIN STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 7 days at \$4.50	\$31.50
Signal Truck, 4 1-2 days at \$20 .	90.00
Ford Truck, 8 days at \$7	56.00
Two Teams, 2 1-2 days at \$8 ...	20.00
One Team, 3 1-2 days at \$4	14.00
Fred C. Joseph, 4 3-4 days at \$4 ..	19 00
Alfred Bates, 7 1-2 days at \$4	30.00
Charles A. Taylor, 4 1-2 days at \$4	18.00
Henry McHugh, 1 1-2 days at \$4 ..	6.00
Atwood Ainslie, 6 days at \$4	24.00

Robert N. Leavitt, 5 days at \$4 ..	20.00
John T. Osborn, 7 3-4 days at \$4 ..	31.00
John A. Martin, 3 days at \$4	12.00
George Chamberlain, 8 1-2 days at \$4	34.00
Robert Goosby, 8 days at \$4	32.00
Arthur Osborne, 8 3-4 days at \$4 ..	35.00
Perry H. Osborn, 4 1-2 days at \$4	18.00
John Whalen and team, 4 1-2 days at \$8	36.00
B. Franklin Burns and team 5 1-2 days at \$8	44.00
Wesley Osborne and team, 5 1-2 days at \$8	44.00
Wesley Osborne, 3 1-2 days at \$4 .	14.00
Robert Goosby, Jr., 2 1-2 days at \$4	10.00
William P. Maynard, 6 1-2 days at \$4	26.00
John F. Osborne, 4 1-2 days at \$4	18.00
E. P. Joseph, 2 men and 2 teams, 2 1-2 days at \$16	40.00
G. L. Damon, 7 1-2 days at \$4	30.00
J. Foster, Merritt, Jr., 1 1-2 days at \$4	6.00
Charles H. Jones, 2 days at \$4	8.00
Howard Baker, 3-4 day at \$4	3.00
Bernard Schultz, 6 days at \$4 ..	24.00
Benjamin Loring and team, 3 days at \$8	24.00
Benjamin Loring, gravel	11 88
Edwin C. Damon and team, 1 1-2 days at \$8	12.00
Edwin A. Damon, 3-4 day at \$4 ..	3.00
John E. Leslie, 2 days at \$4	8.00

Everett W. Osborne, 3 days at \$4 .	12.00	
Joseph F. Totman, 1 day at \$4 ...	4.00	
Frank L. Thomas, gravel	29.40	
The Barrett Company, cold patching		
....material	142.31	
The Barrett Company, Tarvia	1,506 50	
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HIGH STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 5 1-2 days		
at \$4.50	\$24.75	
Signal Truck, 6 days at \$20	120.00	
Ford Truck, 8 days at \$7	56.00	
Two Teams, 1 day at \$8	8.00	
One Team, 1 1-2 days at \$4	6.00	
Charles A. Taylor, 5 1-2 days at \$4	22.00	
Atwood Ainslie, 2 days at \$4	8.00	
Joseph F. Totman, 2 days at \$4	8.00	
Fred C. Joseph, 6 days at \$4	24.00	
Bernard Schultz, 2 days at \$4	8.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 4 days at \$4 ..	16.00	
Robert Goosby, 3 1-2 days at \$4 ..	14.00	
George Chamberlain, 3 1-2 days		
at \$4	14.00	
John T. Osborn, 6 1-2 days at \$4 ..	26.00	
Perry H. Osborn, 1 1-2 days at \$4	6.00	
Timothy Sheehan, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Frank L. Thomas, gravel	1 20	
A. W. Belcher, gravel	9.60	
The Barrett Company, cold patching		
material	41.65	
The Barrett Company, Tarvia	286.75	
		<hr/> \$703.95

OAK STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 4 1-2 days	
at \$4.50	\$20.25
Signal Truck, 6 5-6 days at \$20 .	136.67
Ford Truck, 6 1-2 days at \$7 ..	45.50
Fred C. Joseph, 7 days at \$4	28 00
Atwood Ainslie, 3 1-2 days at \$4	14.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 5 1-2 days at \$4	22.00
Robert Goosby, 6 1-3 days at \$4 ..	25.33
G. L. Damon, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Alfred Bates, 1 day at \$4	4 00
Bernard Schultz, 1 1-3 days at \$4 .	5.33
George Chamberlain, 4 1-3 at \$4..	17.33
Joseph F. Totman, 6 1-2 days at \$4	26.00
Perry H. Osborn, 3 days at \$4	12.00
Arthur J. Mitchell, roller	30.00
Samuel Sylvester, gravel	6.40
The Barrett Company, Tarvia	\$155.78
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	\$552.50

SUMMER STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 5 1-2 days, 2	
hours at \$4.50	\$25.75
Signal Truck, 9 1-2 days at \$20 .	190.00
Ford Truck, 10 days at \$7	70.00
Three Horses, 2 hours, \$6	1 33
Team, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00
Charles A. Taylor, 5 days, 2 hours	
at \$4	20.89
Chester Taylor, 2 hours \$4 .....	.89
Perry H. Osborn, 2 1-2 days, 2	
hours at \$4	10.89

Joseph F. Totman, 4 1-2 days, 2	
hours a \$4	18.89
Robert N. Leavitt, 4 days, 2	
hours at \$4	16.89
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 2	
hours at \$6	1.33
Alfred Bates, 2 hours at \$4 .. .	.89
John A. Martin, 2 hours at \$4 .. .	.89
Henry McHugh, 2 hours at \$4 .. .	.89
Bert I. Richardson and team, 7	
days, at \$8	56.00
George Chamberlain, 15 1-2 days	
at \$4	62.00
Robert Goosby, 14 days at \$4 .. .	56.00
Fred C. Joseph, 10 1-2 days at \$4 .	42.00
Bernard Schultz, 5 1-2 days at \$4 .	22.00
John T. Osborn, 3 1-2 days at \$4 ..	14.00
Arthur J. Mitchell, pea stone .. .	20.78
Frank L. Thomas, gravel	3.75
Samuel Sylvester, gravel	5.00
Albert O. Hagar, gravel	7.68
Barrett Company, cold patching	
material	123.28
Barrett Company, Tarvia	372.00
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MT. BLUE STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 7 1-2 days	
at \$4.50	\$33.75
Signal Truck, 1 day at \$20 .. .	20.00
Signal Truck, 1 day at \$7.50 ...	7.50
Ford Truck, 2 1-2 days at \$7 .. .	17.50
Three Horses, 1-2 day at \$6	3.00

Two Teams, 1-2 day at \$8	4.00
One Team, 4 1-2 days at \$4	18.00
Gravel, .....	.24
Chester Taylor, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00
Joseph F. Totman, 2 1-2 days at \$4	10.00
Perry H. Osborn, 2 1-2 days at \$4	10.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 8 days at \$4 ..	32.00
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-2 day at \$6	3.00
Bert I. Richardson and team, 16 1-4 days at \$8	130.00
Bernard Schultz, 6 1-2 days at \$4 ..	26.00
John E. Leslie, 8 3-4 days at \$4 ..	35.00
George Chamberlain, 7 1-2 days at \$4	30.00
Arthur H. Osborne, 7 3-4 days at \$4	31.00
Wesley Osborne, 4 1-4 days at \$4 ..	17.00
Wesley Osborne and team, 4 1-2 days at \$8	36.00
Alfred Bates, 8 3-4 days at \$4	35.00
Atwood Ainslie, 9 3-4 days at \$4 ..	39.00
John Whalen and team, 6 1-4 days at \$8	50.00
Robert Goosby, 5 days at \$4	20.00
W. G. Shaw, gravel .....	.96
Carlton O. Litchfield, gravel	1.92
John T. Osborn, 5 days at \$4	20.00
Charles A. Taylor, 1 1-2 days at \$4 ..	6.00
E. Gerry Bates and team, 3 1-2 days at \$8	28.00
Fred C. Joseph, 1 1-2 days at \$4 ..	6.00

\$672.87

CENTRAL STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 10 days at \$4.50	\$45.00
Signal Truck, 12 days at \$20 ..	240.00
Ford Truck, 4 hours, at \$7	3.00
Three Horses, 1 day at \$6	6.00
Two Teams, 1 day at \$8	8.00
One Team, 10 1-2 days at \$4 ..	42.00
Charles A. Taylor, 6 1-2 days at \$4	26.00
Joseph F. Totman, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00
Chester Taylor, 2 days at \$4	8.00
Perry H. Osborn, 12 days at \$4 ..	48.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 14 days at \$4 ..	56.00
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1 day at \$6	6.00
Alfred Bates, 5 hours at \$4	2.22
John E. Leslie, 2 hours at \$4 ....	.89
John A. Martin, 5 hours at \$4 ..	2.22
Henry McHugh, 5 hours at \$4 ..	2.22
Fred C. Joseph, 2 days at \$4	8.00
Robert Goosby, 15 days at \$4	60.00
George Chamberlain, 2 days at \$4	8.00
John T. Osborn, 14 days at \$4 ...	56.00
John Whalen and team, 8 days at \$8	64.00
L. A. Weatherby, 4 1-2 days at \$4	18.00
Bert I. Richardson and team, 2 days at \$8	16.00
Samuel Sylvester, gravel	9.80
Albert O. Hagar, gravel	14.04

 \$753.39

CIRCUIT STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 1 day at \$4.50 ..	\$4.50
Signal Truck, 1 day at \$20	20.00
Three Horses, 1-4 day at \$6 ..	1 50

Charles A. Taylor, 1 1-4 days at \$4	5.00	
George Chamberlain, 1-4 days at \$4	1.00	
Henry McHugh, 1-4 days at \$4 ..	1.00	
Joseph F. Totman, 1-4 days at \$4 ..	1.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 1 1-4 days at \$4	5.00	
Charles H. Jones, 1-4 days at \$4 ..	1.00	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-4 days at \$6	1 50	
Robert Goosby, 2 days at \$4	8.00	
Bert I. Richardson and team, 1 day at \$8	8.00	
Fred C. Joseph, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
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GREEN STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 3 hours at \$4.50	\$1.50	
Three Horses, 5 1-4 hours at \$6	3.50	
Perry H. Osborn, 3 hours at \$4 ..	1.33	
Charles A. Taylor, 5 1-4 hours at \$4	2.34	
Chester Taylor, 3 hours at \$4 ..	1.33	
George Chamberlain, 5 1-4 hours at \$4	2 34	
Henry McHugh, 5 1-4 hours at \$4	2.34	
Joseph F. Totman, 5 1-4 hours at \$4	2.34	
Robert N. Leavitt, 5 1-4 hours at \$4	2.34	
Charles H. Jones, 5 1-4 hours at \$4	2.34	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 5 1-4 hours at \$6	3.50	
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PINE STREET

Walter T. Osborn

Signal Truck, 3 days at \$20 \$60.00

Three Horses, 5 1-4 hours at \$6 3.50

Perry H. Osborn, 2 days, 3 hours

at \$4 9.33

Charles A. Taylor, 2 days, 5 1-4

hours at \$4 10 33

Chester Taylor, 3 hours at \$4 1.33

George Chamberlain, 5 1-4 hours

at \$4 2.33

Henry McHugh, 5 1-4 hours at \$4 2.33

Joseph F. Totman, 5 1-4 hours at \$4 2.33

Robert N. Leavitt, 1 day, 5 1-4

hours at \$4 6.33

Charles H. Jones, 5 1-4 hours at \$4 2.33

Frank L. Thomas and horse, 5 1-4

hours at \$6 3.50

Fred C. Joseph, 3 days at \$4 12.00

Robert Goosby, 3 days at \$4 12.00

Bert I. Richardson and team,

1 day at \$8 8.00

 \$135.64

COMMON STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 1-4 day at \$4.50 \$1.13

Three Horses, 1-4 day at \$6 1.50

Perry H. Osborn, 1-4 day at \$4 .. 1.00

Chester Taylor, 1-4 day at \$4 1.00

Alfred Bates, 1-4 day at \$4 1.00

Henry McHugh, 1-4 day at \$4 .. 1 00

Joseph F. Totman, 1-4 day at \$4 .. 1.00

Robert N. Leavitt, 1-4 day at \$4 .. 1.00

Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-4		
day at \$6	1.50	
Arthur F. Henderson and team,		
1 3-4 day at \$8	14.00	
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CHURCH STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 3-4 day at \$4.50	\$3.37	
Three horses, 1-4 day at \$6	1.50	
Perry H. Osborn, 3-4 day at \$4 ..	3.00	
Chester Taylor, 1-4 day at \$4	1.00	
Alfred Bates, 1-4 day at \$4	1.00	
Henry McHugh, 1-4 day at \$4	1.00	
• Joseph F. Totman, 1-4 day at \$4 ..	1.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 3-4 day at \$4	3.00	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-4		
day at \$6	1.50	
Robert Goosby, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Henry T. Gunderway, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
George Chamberlain, 1-2 day at \$4 .	2.00	
Arthur F. Henderson and team, 1-2		
day at \$8	4.00	
Bert. I. Richardson and team, 1-2		
day at \$8	4.00	
Joseph Briggs and team, 1-2 day		
at \$8	4.00	
John T. Osborn, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Fred C. Joseph, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
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STETSON ROAD

Walter T. Osborn, 6 days, 3-4 hours at \$4.50	\$27.37
Signal Truck, 1 1-2 days at \$20 .	30.00
Three Horses, 5 1-4 hours at \$6..	3.50
Chester Taylor, 5 1-4 hours at \$4 .	2.33
Alfred Bates, 1-4 days at \$4	1.00
Perry H. Osborn, 1 day, 3-4 hours at \$4	4.33
Henry McHugh, 5 1-4 hours at \$4 .	2.33
Joseph F. Totman, 5 1-4 hours at \$4	2.33
Robert N. Leavitt, 5 days, 5 1-4 at \$4	22.33
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 5 1-4 days at \$6	3.50
Charles A. Taylor, 3 hours at \$4 ..	1.33
George Chamberlain, 5 days 3 hours at \$4	21.33
Charles H. Jones, 3 hours at \$4 ..	1.33
Bert. I. Richardson and team, 4 1-2 day at \$8	36.00
Joseph Briggs and team, 8 days at \$8	64.00
Fred C. Joseph, 3 1-2 days at \$4 ..	14.00
John T. Osborn, 2 1-2 days at \$4 ..	10.00
Robert Goosby, 5 days at \$4	20.00
Henry T. Gunderway, 5 days at \$4	20.00
Francis E. Henderson, 7 1-2 days at \$4	30.00
Arthur F. Henderson and team, 3 1-2 days at \$8	28.00

Alvan T. Baker	4.00	
Edward W. Dixon, gravel	2.50	
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TIFFANY ROAD

Walter T. Osborn, 13 1-4 days	
at \$4.50	\$59.63
Signal Truck, 23-4 days at \$20 ..	55.00
Three Horses, 1-4 day at \$6	1.50
Team, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Chester Taylor, 1-4 day at \$4	1.00
Alfred Bates, 1-4 day at \$4	1.00
Henry McHugh, 1-4 day at \$4 ..	1.00
Joseph F. Totman, 1-4 day at \$4 ..	1.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 14 1-4 days at \$4	57.00
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-4	
day at \$6	1.50
Perry H. Osborn, 4 1-4 days at \$4	17.00
Charles A. Taylor, 2 days at \$4 ..	8.00
Robert Goosby, 14 days at \$4	56.00
George Chamberlain, 13 1-2 days	
at \$4	54.00
George Chamberlain, labor on gut-	
ters, 2 days at \$4	8.00
Joseph Briggs and team, 13 days	
at \$8	104.00
Arthur F. Henderson and team,	
13 1-2 days at \$8	108.00
Bert I. Richardson and team, 13	
days at \$8	104.00
Francis E. Henderson, 13 -12 days	
at \$4	54.00

Henry T. Gunderway, 12 days	
....at \$4	48.00
Fred C. Joseph, 2 1-2 days at \$4 ..	10.00
John T. Osborn, 3 days at \$4	12.00
Phillips, Bates & Co., cement, catch basin, tile	27.55
Edward W. Dixon, gravel	30.00
Frank L. Thomas, gravel15
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	\$823.33

FOREST STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 5 days at \$4.50	\$22.50
Signal Truck, 1-2 day at \$20	10.00
Ford Truck, 2 days at \$7	14.00
Two Teams, 3 1-2 days at \$8 ..	28.00
One Team, 4 days at \$4	16.00
Gravel	18.12
Robert N. Leavitt, 4 days at \$4 ..	16.00
Alfred Bates, 4 days at \$4	16.00
John Whalen and team, 5 days at \$8	40.00
John T. Osborn, 6 days at \$4	24.00
John T. Osborn, lighting lanterns .	5.00
Bert I. Richardson and team, 4 days at \$8	32.00
Charles A. Taylor, 6 days at \$4 ..	24.00
Bernard Schultz, 4 days at \$4	16.00
John E. Leslie, 4 days at \$4	16.00
George Chamberlain, 4 days at \$4 .	16.00
Perry H. Osborn, 4 days at \$4	16.00
G. L. Damon, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Robert Goosby, 8 days at \$4	32.00

Arthur H. Osborne, 2 1-2 days	
at \$4	10.00
Wesley Osborne, 3 1-2 hours at \$4 .	14.00
Everett W. Osborne, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00
Joseph F. Totman, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Atwood Ainslie, 1 day at \$4	4.00
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	\$401.62

CROSS STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 4 days, 5	
hours at \$4.50	\$20.50
Signal Truck, 3 1-4 days, 5	
hours at \$20	65.00
Ford Truck, 1 day, 5 hours	
at \$7	7.00
Three Horses, 5 hours at \$6	3.33
Team, 2 3-4 days at \$4	11.00
Gravel	5.64
Charles A. Taylor, 2 1-2 days 5	
hours at \$4	12.22
Chester Taylor, 5 hours at \$4	2.22
Joseph F. Totman, 5 hours at \$4 ..	2.22
Robert N. Leavitt, 3 3-4 days, 5	
hours at \$4	17.22
Perry H. Osborn, 5 hours at \$4 ..	2.22
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 5	
hours at \$6	3.34
Alfred Bates, 5 hours at \$4	2.22
John E. Leslie, 5 hours at \$4	2.22
John A. Martin, 5 hours at \$4	2.22
Henry McHugh, 5 hours at \$4	2.22
Fred C. Joseph, 4 days at \$4	16.00
Robert Goosby, 3 3-4 days at \$4 ..	15.00

George Chamberlain, 3 1-2 days	
at \$4	14.00
Robert N. Leavitt, Jr., 1-2 day at \$4	2.00
J. Foster Merritt, Jr., 1-2 day at \$4	2.00
Fred Lee, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00
Lyman W. Lincoln and truck, 1-2	
day at \$11	5.50
Bert I. Richardson and team, 1 1-2	
days at \$8	12.00
John T. Osborn, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Berger Manufacturing Co., culverts	50.46
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	\$283.75

BOWKER STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 1 day at \$4.50	\$4.50
Three Horses, 1 day at \$6	6.00
Ford Truck, 1 day at \$3.50	3.50
Charles A. Taylor, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00
George Chamberlain, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00
Henry McHugh, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Joseph F. Totman, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Frank I. Thomas and horse 1 day	
at \$6	6.00
Atwell Winslie, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Charles Jones, 1 day at \$4	4.00
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	\$48.00

PLEASANT STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 3 horses, 1-4	
at \$6	\$1.50
Charles A. Taylor, 1-4 day at \$4 ..	1.00
George Chamberlain, 1-4 day at \$1	1.00

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Henry McHugh, 1-4 day at \$4 ..	1.00	
Joseph F. Totman, 1-4 day at \$4 ..	1.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 1-4 day at \$4 ..	1.00	
Charles H. Jones, 1-4 day at \$4 ..	1.00	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-4 ..		
day at \$6	1.50	
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		\$9.00

SOUTH STREET

Wlater T. Osborn, 1-2 day at \$4.50	\$2.25	
Three Horses, 1-3 day at \$6	2.00	
Ford Truck, 1-2 day at \$7	3.50	
Charles A. Taylor, 1-3 day at \$4 ..	1.33	
George Chamberlain, 1-3 day at \$4	1.34	
Henry McHugh, 1-3 day at \$4	1.34	
Joseph F. Totman, 1-3 day at \$4 ..	1.33	
Robert N. Leavitt, 1-3 day at \$4 ..	1.33	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-3		
day at \$6	2.00	
Atwood Ainslie, 1-3 day at \$4 ..	1.34	
Perry H. Osborn, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Robert Goosby, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Phillips, Bates & Co., tile	7.56	
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		\$29.32

MT. HOPE STREET

E. Gerry Bates, 2 men and 2 teams	
3 days at \$16	\$48.00
Andrew Stockbridge, 3 days at \$4	12.00
D. Fred Bates, 3 days at \$4	12.00
Laban Bates, 1 day at \$4	4.00
W. G. Shaw, gravel	4.80
Bert I. Richardson and team, 3	
days at \$8	24.00

Bert I. Richardson, gravel	6.96	
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PROSPECT STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 7 hours at \$4.50	3.50
Three Horses, 1-3 day, 7 hours	
at \$6	6.67
Perry H. Osborn, 7 hours at \$4 ..	3.11
Charles A. Taylor, 1-3 day, 7	
hours at \$4	4.44
Chester Taylor, 7 hours at \$4	3.11
Joseph F. Totman, 1-3 day, 7	
hours at \$4	4.44
Robert N. Leavitt, 1-3 day, 7 hours	
at \$4	4.44
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-3	
day, 7 hours at \$6.....	6.67
Alfred Bates, 7 hours at \$4	3.11
Herbert G. Simmons and team, 2	
days at \$8	16.00
Henry McHugh, 1-3 day, 7 hours	
at \$4	4.44
Bert I. Richardson and team, 2	
days at \$8	16.00
George Chamberlain, 1-3 day at \$4	1.33
Atwood Ainslie, 1-3 day at \$4	1.33
John T. Osborn, 7 hours at \$4	3.11
Benjamin Loring and team, 2 days	
at \$8	16.00
Benjamin Loring, gravel	4.44
John F. Osborne, 2 days at \$4	8.00
Arthur H. Osborne, 2 days at \$4 ..	8.00
Wesley Osborne and team.2 days	
at \$8	16.00

Edwin C. Damon and team, 2	
at \$8	16.00
Wallace H. Damon, 2 days at \$4 ..	8.00
Michael Gotreau, 2 days at \$4	8.00
Ralph Sprague, 1 day at \$4	4.00
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	\$170.14

BRIDGE STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 1 day, 4 hours	
at \$4.50	\$5.50
Signal Truck, 1 day at \$20	20.00
Three Horses, 2 hours at \$6	1.33
Charles A. Taylor, 2 hours at \$4 .	.89
Chester Taylor, 2 hours at \$4 ....	.89
Perry H. Osborn, 7 hours at \$4 ..	3.39
Joseph F. Totman, 2 hours at \$4 ..	.89
Robert N. Leavitt, 2 hours at \$4 ..	.89
Alfred Bates, 2 hours at \$4 .....	.89
John E. Leslie, 2 hours at \$4 .....	.89
John A. Martin, 2 hours at \$4 ....	.89
Henry McHugh, 2 hours at \$4 ....	.89
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 2	
hours at \$6	1.33
Fred C. Joseph, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Robert Goosby, 1 day at \$4	4.00
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	\$46.67

DOVER STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 1 hour at \$4.50 .	\$.50
Ford Truck, 1 hour, at \$775
Three Horses, 1 hour at \$667
Perry H. Osborn, 1 hour at \$4 ....	.45
Charles A. Taylor, 1 hour at \$4 ..	.45

Chester Taylor, 1 hour at \$4 . . . .	.45	
Joseph F. Totman, 1 hour at \$4 ..	.45	
Robert N. Leavitt, 1 hour at \$4 ..	.45	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1		
hour at \$667	
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		\$4.84

POND STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 1-2 day at \$4.50	\$2.25	
Three Horses, 1-2 day at \$6 ..	3.00	
Perry H. Osborn, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Charles A. Taylor, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Chester Taylor, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Joseph F. Totman, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-2		
day at \$6	3.00	
Alfred Bates, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Henry McHugh, 1-2 at \$4	2.00	
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		\$22.25

NORWELL AVENUE

Walter T. Osborn, 5 hours at \$4.50	\$2.50	
Ford Truck, 1-2 day 3 hours		
at \$7	6.00	
Three Horses, 5 hours at \$6	3.33	
Charles A. Taylor, 5 hours at \$4 .	2.22	
Chester Taylor, 5 hours at \$4	2.22	
Joseph F. Totman, 5 hours at \$4 ..	2.22	
Perry H. Osborn, 5 hours at \$4 ..	2.22	
Robert N. Leavitt, 5 hours at \$4 ..	2.22	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 5 hours		
at \$6	3.33	

John T. Osborn, 1-2 day at \$4 ...	2.00	
Bert I. Richardson and team, 3 days at \$8	24.00	
John A. Martin, 2 hours at \$489	
Alfred Bates, 2 hours at \$489	
Henry McHugh, 2 hours at \$489	
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PARKER STREET

Walter T. Osborn, team, 1-2 day at \$4	\$2.00	
Charles A. Taylor, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Bert I. Richardson and team, 1-2 day at \$8	4.00	
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SCHOOL STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 1-2 day at \$4 50	\$2.25	
Three Horses, 1-2 day at \$6	3.00	
Ferry H. Osborn, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Charles A. Taylor, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Chester Taylor, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Joseph F. Totman, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-2 day at \$6	3.00	
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WEST STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 1 hour at \$4.50	\$.50
Ford Truck, 1 hour at \$475
Three Horses, 1 hour at \$667

Charles A. Taylor, 1 hour at \$4 ..	.45	
Chester Taylor, 1 hour at \$4 ....	.45	
Perry H. Osborn, 1 hour at \$4 ....	.45	
Joseph F. Totman, 1 hour at \$4...	.45	
Robert N. Leavitt, 1 hour at \$4 ..	.45	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1		
hours at \$666	
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		\$4.83

GROVE STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 10 days, 4	
hours at \$4.50	\$47.00
Signal Truck, 2 days at \$20 ...	40.00
Ford Truck, 1 day at \$7	7.00
Team, 2 1-2 days at \$4	10.00
Three Horses, 1 day, 4 hours	
at \$6	8.67
Charles A. Taylor, 1 day, 4 hours	
at \$4	5.78
Chester Taylor, 1 1-2 days, 4 hours	
at \$4	7.78
Joseph F. Totman, 1 1-2 days, 4	
hours at \$4	7.78
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1 1-2	
days, 4 hours at \$6	11.67
Perry H. Osborn, 4 1-2 days, 4	
hours at \$4	19.78
Robert N. Leavitt, 1 1-2 days, 4	
hours at \$4	7.78
E. Gerry Bates, 2 hours at \$4	8.00
E. Gerry Bates and team, 5	
hours at \$8	40.00
E. Gerry Bates, 2 men and 2	
teams, 1 day at \$16	16.00

Andrew Stockbridge, 1 day at \$4 .	4.00
D. Fred Bates, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Laban Bates, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Mrs. Bessie Parr, gravel	3.12
John T. Osborn, 5 1-2 days, 2 hours at \$4	22.89
Alfred Bates, 1-2 day, 4 hours at \$4	3.78
John A. Martin, 2 hours at \$4 ..	.89
Henry McHugh, 1-2 day, 4 hours at \$4	3.78
Fred C. Joseph, 2 1-2 days at \$4 ..	10.00
Robert Goosby, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Bernard Schutz, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00
George Chamberlain, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00
Bert I. Richardson, 4 days at \$8 ..	32.00
Benjamin Loring and team, 13 days at \$8	104.00
Benjamin Loring, gravel	4.44
Romandel O. Haight, 7 3-4 days at \$4	31.00
Edwin C. Damon, 11 days at \$4 ..	44.00
Edwin C. Damon and team, 2 days at \$8	16.00
Wesley Osborne, 8 days at \$4	32.00
Wesley Osborne and team, 2 days at \$8	16.00
Everett W. Osborne, 7 days at \$4 ..	28.00
George Jones, lighting lanterns	2.50
Samuel Sylvester, gravel	1 90
John F. Osborne, 2 days at \$4	8.00
Arthur H. Osborne, 2 days at \$4 .	8.00
Wallace H. Damon, 2 days at \$4 ..	8.00

Michael Gotreau, 2 days at \$4	8.00	
Herbert G. Simmons and team, 2 days at \$8	16.00	
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WINTER STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 4 days at \$4.50	\$18.00	
Signal Truck, 2 1-4 days at \$20	45.00	
Ford Truck, 3 days at \$7	21.00	
Team 2 1-4 days at \$4	9.00	
Gravel,	5.04	
Fred C. Joseph, 2 1-2 days at \$4 ..	10.00	
Charles A. Taylor, 3 days at \$4 ..	12.00	
Joseph F. Totman, 2 days at \$4 ..	8.00	
Everett W. Osborne, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00	
Arthur H. Osborne, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00	
George Chamberlain, 2 1-2 days at \$4	10.00	
Robert Goosby, 2 1-4 days at \$4 ..	9.00	
Perry H. Osborn, 1 1-2 days at \$4	6.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 3-4 day at \$4 ..	3.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, Jr., 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
J. Foster Merritt, Jr., 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Fred Lee, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Lyman W. Lincoln and truck, 1-2 day at \$11	5.50	
Bert I. Richardson and team, 1 day at \$8	8.00	
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JACOBS AVENUE

Benjamin Loring and team, 12 1-2 days at \$8	\$100.00
Benjamin Loring, gravel	26.76
Wesley Osborne and team, 10 days at \$8	80.00
Edwin C. Damon and team, 7 1-2 days at \$8	60.00
Edwin C. Damon, 3 days at \$4 ..	12.00
Floyd Osborne, 2 days at \$4	8.00
John F. Osborne, 10 days at \$4 ..	40.00
Arthur H. Osborne, 11 days at \$4 .	44.00
Everett W. Osborne, 10 1-2 days at \$4	42.00
Michael Gotreau, 9 days at \$4	36.00
Charles H. Baker, 10 days at \$4 ..	40.00
Wallace H. Damon, 10 days at \$4 .	40.00
Andrew F. Jacobs, gravel	12.82
Andrew F. Jacobs, 1 1-4 days at \$4	5.00
Bert I. Richardson and team, 1 1-2 days at \$8	12.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 1 1-3 days at \$4	5.33
Walter T. Osborn, 3 horses, 1-3 day at \$6	2.00
Charles A. Taylor, 1-3 day at \$4 ..	1.33
George Chamberlain, 1-3 day at \$4	1.33
Henry McHugh, 1-3 day at \$4....	1.33
Joseph F. Totman, 1-3 day at \$4 ..	1.33
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1-3 day at \$6	2.00
Atwood Ainslie, 1-3 day at \$4	1.33
G. L. Damon, 3 days at \$4	12.00
Joseph W. Lincoln, gravel	18.00

Ralph Sprague, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Herbert G. Simmons and team, 2 days at \$8	16.00	
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LINCOLN STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 2 days at \$4.50	\$9.00	
Signal Truck, 1 day at \$20	20.00	
One Team, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Three horses, 1-2 day at \$6 ..	3.00	
Charles A. Taylor, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Chester Taylor, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Joseph F. Totman, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Perry H. Osborn, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Frank L. Thomas and horse, 1 day at \$6	6.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00	
Robert Goosby, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Fred C. Joseph, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
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WASHOUTS IN JULY

Walter T. Osborn, 9 1-2 days at \$4.50	\$42.75	
Signal Truck, 9 days at \$20	180.00	
Ford Truck, 8 1-2 days at \$7 ..	59.50	
Two Teams, 6 days at \$8	48.00	
One Team, 2 1-2 days at \$4	10.00	
Two Men, 2 days at \$4	16.00	
Gravel	24.12	
Fred C. Joseph, 11 1-2 days at \$4 .	46.00	
Bertram H. Joseph, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00	
Robert N. Leavitt, 7 days at \$4	28.00	

John T. Osborn, 6 1-2 days at \$4 .	26.00
Robert Goosby, 9 1-2 days at \$4 ..	38.00
George Chamberlain, 10 days at \$4	40.00
Robert N. Leavitt, Jr., 10 days at \$4	40.00
J. Foster Merritt, Jr., 10 days at \$4	40.00
Perry H. Osborn, 5 1-2 days at \$4	22.00
John Whalen and team, 7 days at \$8	56.00
John E. Leslie, 4 days at \$4	16.00
Eugene Blanchard, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Bert I. Richardson and team, 8 1-2 days at \$8	68.00
Allen Lester, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Robert O. Anthony, 6 1-2 days at \$4	26.00
Lyman W. Lincoln and truck, 9 days at \$11	99.00
Charles A. Taylor, 5 1-2 days at \$4	22.00
Fred Lee, 7 days at \$4	28.00
Andrew Stockbridge, gravel	1.75
D. Fred Bates, 4 days at \$4	16.00
E. Gerry Bates and team, 4 days at \$8	32.00
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	\$1,037.12

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Walter T. Osborn,	
Signal Truck to Everett for	
Tarvia, 3 1-2 days at \$20	\$70.00
Ford Truck, 8 days at \$3.50	28.00
Freight on drag blades .....	.86
Freight on gravel screen .....	.52
Express on mould board .....	.58

Express on plow wheel . . . . .	.46	
Telephones	10.00	
John T. Osborn, to Everett, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Perry H. Osborn, To Everett, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Labor on building, 1-2 day at \$4	2.00	
Robert N. Leavitt to Everett, 1 day at \$4	4.00	
Fred C. Joseph to Everett, 3 1-2 days at \$4	14.00	
Phillips, Bates & Co., tools, etc.	30.37	
Charles W. Tilden, repairs	51.20	
New England Road Machinery Co., culverts, drag blades	53.80	
Joseph Breck & Sons, mould board, screen, plow	50.45	
Ames Agricultural Implement Co., pick point for road plow	8.50	
Robert W. MacDonald, repairs	3.90	
John H. Sparrel	5.75	
Frank Panall, handles	1.50	
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		\$343.89
Credit:		
The Barrett Company, empty barrels	72.50	
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		\$271.39

SUMMARY

River Street	\$1,806.43
Main Street	2,346.59
High Street	703.95
Oak Street	552.59
Summer Street	1,146.02

Mt. Blue Street	672.87	
Central Street	753.39	
Circuit Street	61.50	
Green Street	25.20	
Pine Street	135.64	
Common Street	24.13	
Church Street	38.37	
Stetson Road	351.51	
Tiffany Road	823.33	
Forest Street	401.62	
Cross Street	283.75	
Bowker Street	48.00	
Pleasant Street	9.00	
South Street	29.32	
Mt. Hope Street	111.76	
Prospect Street	170.14	
Bridge Street	46.67	
Dover Street	4.84	
Pond Street	22.25	
Norwell Avenue	54.93	
Parker Street	\$8.00	
School Street	18.25	
West Street	4.83	
Grove Street	661.54	
Winter Street	183.54	
Jacobs Avenue	624.56	
Lincoln Street	66.00	
July Washouts	1,037.12	
General Account	271.39	
	<hr/>	\$13,499.03
Appropriation		13,500.00
Unexpended Balance .....	\$	.97

WALTER T. OSBORN,

Surveyor.

SUMMER STREET SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Walter T. Osborn, 1 day at \$4.50 ..	\$4.50
Signal Truck, 1 day at \$20	20.00
Team, 1 day at \$4	4.00
John T. Osborn, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Perry H. Osborn, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Fred C. Joseph, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Robert Goosby, 1 day at \$4	4.00
George Chamberlain, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 1 day at \$4	4.00
Charles A. Taylor, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00
Bert I. Riichardson and team, 5 2-3 days at \$8	45.33
E. P. Joseph, 2 men and 2 teams 4 2-3 days at \$16	74.67
E. G. Bates, 2 men and 2 teams, 4 days at \$16	64.00
E. G. Bates, man and team, 2-3 day at \$8	5.33
John Whalen and team, 4 2-3 days at \$8	37.33
William A. Brown and team, 4 1-6 day at \$8	33.33
William A. Brown, 1-2 day at \$4 ..	2.00
Caleb Litchfield, 4 2-3 days at \$4 .	18.67
Herbert Litchfield, 4 2-3 days at \$4	18.67
Laban Bates, 4 2-3 days at \$4	18.67
D. Fred Bates, 4 days at \$4	16.00
John E. Leslie, 4 2-3 days at \$4 ..	18.67
Louis Ellms, 3 2-3 days at \$4	14.67
Louis Ellms and horse, 3 hours ..	2.25
Alfred Bates, 2-3 days at \$4	2.67
Town of Scituate—Roller	20.00
Joseph Whitcomb, gravel	40.25

Albert O. Hagar, gravel .....	.24	
Samuel Sylvester, gravel80	
The Barrett Company, Tarvia	155.78	
	<hr/>	\$645.83
Appropriation		600.00
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Exceeded		\$45.83

WALTER T. OSBORN,

Surveyor,

MT. BLUE SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Walter T. Osborn, 13 5-6 days	
at \$4.50	\$62.25
Signal Truck, 4 days at \$20	80.00
Ford Truck, 1 day at \$3.50	3.50
Ford Truck, 6 days at \$7	42.00
Two Teams, 1-2 days at \$8	4.00
Three Horses, 3 days at \$6	18.00
One Team, 8 days at \$4	32.00
E. P. Joseph, 2 men and 2 teams, 6	
at \$16	96.00
E. J. Joseph, man and team 5 11-12	
days at \$4	47.33
E. G. Bates, 2 men and 2 teams, 9	
days at \$16	144.00
E. G. Bates, man and team, 1-3	
days at \$8	2.67
John Whalen and team, 10 1-3 days	
at \$8	82.67
John Whalen, team, 1 day at \$4 ..	4.00
Charles H. Jones, 1 day at \$4	4.00

Wesley Osborn and team, 3 days	
at \$8	24.00
Bert I. Richardson and team, 19 5-6	
days at \$8	158.67
William A. Brown and team, 9 1-3	
days at \$8	74.67
Caleb Litchfield, 9 1-3 days at \$4 .	37.33
Herbert Litchfield, 9 1-3 days at \$4	37.33
Laban Bates, 9 1-3 days at \$4	37.33
Alfred Bates, 12 1-3 days at \$4 ..	49.33
John E. Leslie, 12 1-3 days at \$4	49.33
Louis Ellms, 4 1-3 days at \$4	17.33
B. Franklin Burns and team, 1 day	
at \$8	8.00
Perry H. Osborn, 6 1-2 days at \$4	26.00
Fred C. Joseph, 3 days at \$4	\$12.00
Charles A. Taylor, 7 1-2 days at \$4	30.00
George Chamberlain, 8 days at \$4	32.00
John T. Osborn, 4 days at \$4	16.00
Henry McHugh, 6 days at \$4	24.00
Joseph F. Totman, 5 1-2 days at \$4	22.00
Robert N. Leavitt, 12 3-4 days at \$4	51.00
Atwood Ainslie, 9 1-4 days at \$4 ..	37.00
Perley Keene, 6 3 4 days at \$4 ..	27.00
Everett W. Osobrne, 5 days at \$4 ..	20.00
John A. Martin, 4 days at \$4	16.00
Mrs. Lyman W. Lincoln, lighting	
lanterns	6.00
Bernard Schultz, 3 days at \$4 ...	12.00
Arthur H. Osborne, 3 days at \$4 ..	12.00
Robert Goosby, 2 1-2 days at \$4 ..	10.00
Joseph Whitcomb, gravel	2.25
Mrs. Bessie Parr, gravel	14.40
Manus Perry, gravel	22.20

Samuel Sylvester, gravel40	
	<hr/>	\$1,507.99
Appropriation		1,500.00
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Exceeded		\$7.99

WALTER T. OSBORN

Highway Surveyor

 SNOW ACCOUNT

Arthur Appleford	\$1.75
Herbert Apts	4.50
Atwood Ainslie	6.00
Alexander Brown	5.00
William A. Brown	5.00
Matthew Brown	5.00
Edward Bates	13.50
Harry Brown	6.00
E. G. Bates	40.00
John Bates	9.50
Irving Beach	4.00
Charles H. Baker	3.50
Daniel Brown	2.50
Frank Cromwell	2.00
Clarence Cromwell	4.00
William Cutler	4.00
George Chamberlain	4.50
Howard A. Delano	8.50
George Dobson	6.00
Edwin A. Damon	9.00
Louis Ellms	4.75

Henry C. Ford	17.50
Walter M. Fuller	3.50
William Fair	4.00
Gilbert Gooch	6.00
Michael Gotreau	4.00
William Goff	6.50
Charles Giorgetti	20.00
Colombo Graglia	4.00
James Gammon	2.50
Henry T. Gunderway	6.00
Herbert Howard	8.50
Melvin Hines	6.00
Leon Hatch	19.00
Horace F. Henderson	6.00
Joseph W. Hatch	9.50
Samuel Humes	1.75
Arthur F. Henderson	36.00
Fred C. Joseph	35.00
Bertram H. Joseph	22.00
Arthur E. Jackman	20.50
Edward A. Jacobs	20.00
Alfred Jacobs	10.00
Perley C. Keene	4.00
Burton Keene	4.00
Fred Kidder	4.50
Lyman W. Lincoln	6.00
David Leggett	6.00
Clifton Lambert	10.00
Allen Lester	1.00
Orlando Litchfield	6.00
Caleb Litchfield	8.00
John Leavitt	8.00
I. Austin Lincoln	3.00
Robert N. Leavitt	2.00

Robert N. Leavitt, Jr.	4.00
John E. Leslie	14.00
Benjamin Loring	31.00
Percy W. Litchfield	1.50
John A. Martin	12.00
J. Foster Merritt, Jr.	9.50
J. Maynard MacLean	11.00
Mortimer D. Maxwell	17.50
William Monahan	4.00
Arthur J. Mitchell and truck	117.00
Douglass Mitchell	7.50
Joseph D. Meuse	2.00
Fred Molla	7.50
Robert Molla	7.50
Natale Molla	1.50
Walter T. Osborn and truck and horses	296.85
John T. Osborn	45.50
Perry H. Osborn	43.50
Arthur H. Osborne	12.50
Wesley Osborne	20.00
Frank Osborne	4.00
F. Russell Olson	3.50
Everett W. Osborne	9.00
Benjamin Pictor	10.00
Manus Perry	4.00
Arthur Randall	12.50
Thomas Rose	4.00
Asa W. Robinson	2.25
G. Otis Rogers	2.75
Richard Sturtevant	10.00
Charles H. Smith	6.25
James Smith	2.25
G. W. Smith	4.00

Harry Snowdale	4.00	
Timothy Sheehan	7.50	
Maurice Sheehan	1.00	
Eugene Sheehan	2.00	
Samuel Stevens	1.00	
William D. Turner	9.50	
Howard Truman	3.00	
Charles A. Taylor	4.00	
Charles W. Tilden	19.65	
John Whalen	35.00	
D. Oscar Wagner	4.00	
John F. Wilder	4.50	
Edward F. Winslow	3.25	
W. W. Weatherby	4.00	
L. A. Weatherby	4.00	
Norman Wiggin	1.75	
William Wilder	1.50	
George Wilder	2.50	
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Appropriation		1,500.00
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Balance		167.75

WALTER T. OSBORN

Highway Surveyor.

Summary of Payroll

HIGHWAY AND SNOW EXPENDITURES

Atwood Ainslie	\$156.00
Am. Agric. Imp. Co., supplies	8.50

Robert O. Anthony	26.00
Arthur Appleford	1.75
Herbert Apts	4.50
Howard Baker	3.00
Alvan Baker	4.00
Charles H. Baker	43.50
Barrett Company, tarvia	3,436.80
Alfred Bates	173.00
D. Fred Bates	48.00
Edward Bates	13.50
E. G. Bates, with team	428.00
John Bates	9.50
Laban Bates	64.00
Irving Beach	
Berger Mfg. Co., culverts	50.46
A. W. Belcher, gravel	9.60
Eugene Blanchard	4.00
Joseph Breck & Sons, supplies	56.00
Joseph Briggs, with team	172.00
Alexander Brown	5.00
Daniel Brown	2.50
Harry Brown	6.00
Matthew Brown	5.00
William A. Brown, with team	115.00
B. Franklin Burns, with team	112.00
George Chamberlain	417.83
Clarence Cromwell	4.00
Frank Cromwell	2.00
William Cutler	4.00
Edwin A. Damon	12.00
Edwin C. Damon, with team	160.00
G. L. Damon	38.00
Lester Damon	12.00
Wallace H. Damon	56.00

Howard A. Delano	8.50
Edward W. Dixon, gravel	32.50
George Dobson	6.00
Louis Ellms, with horse	34.25
Henry C. Ford	17.50
William Fair	4.00
Walter M. Fuller	3.50
James Gammon	2.50
Charles Giorgette	20.00
William Goff	6.50
Michael Gotreau	56.00
Gilbert Gooch	6.00
Robert Goosby	453.33
Robert Goosby, Jr.	10.00
Colombo Graglia	4.00
Henry T. Gunderway	58.00
Albert O. Hagan, gravel	21.96
Leon Hatch	19.00
Joseph W. Hatch	9.50
R. O. Height	31.00
Arthur F. Henderson, with team .	190.00
Francis E. Henderson	86.00
Horace F. Henderson	6.00
Melvin Hines	6.00
Herbert F. Howard	8.50
Samuel Humes	1.75
Arthur E. Jackson	20.50
Alfred Jacobs	10.00
Andrew F. Jacobs, labor and gravel	17.82
Edward A. Jacobs	20.00
Charles H. Jones	36.00
George Jones	2.50
Bertram H. Joseph	26.00
E. P. Joseph, with team	258.00

Fred C. Joseph	350.00
Burton Keene	4.00
Perley C. Keene	35.00
Fred Kidder	4.50
John Leavitt	8.00
Robert N. Leavitt	455.00
Robert N. Leavitt, Jr.	48.00
Fred Lee	32.00
David Leggett	6.00
John E. Leslie	163.00
Allen Lester	5.00
I. Austin Lincoln	3.00
Joseph W. Lincoln, gravel	18.00
Lyman W. Lincoln, with truck	116.00
Mrs. Lyman W. Lincoln, lighting lanterns	6.00
Caleb Litchfield	64.00
C. O. Litchfield, gravel	1.92
Herbert Litchfield	56.00
Orlando Litchfield	6.00
Percy W. Litchfield	1.50
Benjamin Loring, with team	322.52
J. M. MacLean	11.00
Robert W. McDonald, repairs	3.90
Henry McHugh	86.00
John A. Martin	56.00
William P. Maynard	26.00
Mortimer D. Maxwell	17.50
J. Foster Merritt, Jr.	60.50
Joseph D. Meuse	
Arthur J. Mitchell, truck, roller and stone	167.78
Douglass Mitchell	7.50
Fred Molla	7.50

Robert Molla	7.50
Natale Molla	1.50
William Monahan	4.00
N. E. Road Mach. Co., culverts etc.	53.80
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., freight and demurrage	173.63
F. Russell Olson	3.50
Arthur H. Osborne	164.50
Everett W. Osborne	119.00
Floyd Osborne	8.00
Frank Osborne	4.00
John F. Osborne	74.00
John T. Osborne	355.50
Perry H. Osborn	322.00
Walter T. Osborn, labor, trucks, horses and expense	3,515 85
Wesley Osborne, with team	329.00
Frank B. Panall, handles	1.50
Mrs. Bessie Parr, gravel	17.52
Manus Perry, gravel	22.20
Phillips, Bates & Co., supplies	62.67
Benjamin Pictor	10.00
Arthur Randell	12.50
Bert I. Richardson, with team and gravel	804.96
A. W. Robinson	2.25
G. Otis Rogers	2.75
Thomas Rose	4.00
Bernard Schultz	155.33
Town of Scituate roller	20.00
W. G. Shaw, gravel	5.76
Eugene Sheehan	2.00
Maurice Sheehan	1.00
Timothy Sheehan	11.50

H. G. Simmons	48.00
Charles H. Smith	6.25
G. W. Smith	4.00
James Smith	2.25
Harry Snowdale	4.00
J. H. Sparrell, auto	5.75
Ralph Sprague	8.00
Samuel Stevens	1.00
Andrew Stockbridge, labor and gravel	17.75
Richard Sturtevant	10.00
Samuel Sylvester, gravel	24.30
Charles A. Taylor	298.00
Chester Taylor	44.00
Frank L. Thomas, with team and gravel	117.15
Charles W. Tilden, labor and supplies	70.85
Joseph F. Totman	166.00
Howard Truman	3.00
Nathan Turner, gravel	10.16
William D. Turner	9.50
D. Oscar Wagner	4.00
L. A. Weatherby	22.00
W. W. Weatherby	4.00
John Whalen, with team	469.00
Joseph Whitcomb, gravel	42.50
Norman Wiggin	1.75
George Wilder	2.50
John F. Wilder	4.50
William Wilder	1.50
Edward T. Winslow	3.25

Report of Moth Superintendent

F. M. Curtis, labor	\$696.50
F. M. Curtis, use auto	335.00
E. A. Damon	374.28
Chas. Bruce	142.45
Alvan Spencer	100.00
Geo. Dobson	7.11
E. C. Damon	94.89
Lester Smith	124.89
John McLean	12.00
Lincoln Bates	95.56
Chas. Bates	454.50
Geo. L. Damon	48.00
A. C. Chisholm	16.66
Emery Dobson	17.33
John Martin	10.00
Clarence Crownwell	19.11
John Leslie	24.00
John Whalen	174.23
Fred Cromwell	5.33
Charles Baker	4.00
David Fowler	11.11
Geo. Jackson	6.00
Wallace Damon	4.00
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Carrie Ford, printing	\$16.75
John H. Sparrell, labor and supplies	91.52

C. W. Tilden, labor	12.50	
F. M. Curtis, team, cash & supplies	120.91	
A. W. Pinson, lumber	7.85	
Walter T. Osborn, use auto	20.00	
A. Crocker & Son, setting tires ..	10.00	
Geo. F. Welch Co., supplies	6.85	
John Martin, moving sprayer	2.00	
Calvin West	2.50	
	<hr/>	\$290.88
		\$3,067.83

Amount charged Property Owners	\$566.66	
Special Work	855.97	
Town Liability	536.57	
Reimbursement from State	918.78	
State Highway	48.20	
Due from State	141.65	
	<hr/>	\$3,067.83

FRED M. CURTIS

Moth Superintendent

Report of Tree Warden

F. M. Curtis, labor	\$13.50	
F. M. Curtis, use team and auto ..	10.00	
Chas. Bruce, labor	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$35.50
Appropriation		50.00
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Unexpended		\$14.50

MOWING AND BURNING BUSHES

F. M. Curtis	\$112.50	
F. M. Curtis, use team and auto ..	39.50	
E. A. Damon	22.00	
Chas. Bates	14.00	
Louis Ellms	2.00	
Alvan Baker	3.50	
W. J. Leonard	1.00	
Chas. Bruce	82.00	
A. C. Chisholm	42.00	
	<hr/>	\$318.50
Appropriation		\$300.00
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Exceeded		\$18.50

SQUARES AND TRAINGLES

F. M. Curtis, labor	\$41.00
F. M. Curtis, grass seed	3.59

F. M. Curtis, phosphate	2.60	
F. M. Curtis use team and auto ..	9.50	
E. A. Damon, labor	20.67	
E. A. Damon	28.00	
Chas. Bates	20.45	
Hall & Torrey, sharpening lawn mowers	4.50	
Wallace Damon, labor	14.00	
Chas. Baker	14.00	
E. C. Damon	2.00	
Douglass Mitchell	5.25	
A. C. Chisholm	13.50	
John Leslie	4.00	
Austin Lincoln	2.00	
Chas. Bruce	16.00	
Church Hill Improvement Society.	27.50	
	<hr/>	\$228.56
Appropriation		200.00
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Exceeded		\$28.56

GAFFIELD PARK

F. M. Curtis, labor	\$13.50	
Chas. Bruce	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$25.50
Appropriation		25.00
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Exceeded50

FRED M. CURTIS

Tree Warden

Report of Forest Fire Warden

During the year 1921 there was expended a total of \$296.20 in connection with this department.

A number of new extinguishers were purchased and all extinguishers belonging to the Town were inspected and repaired and placed in what were deemed the most advantageous points to cope with fires.

Due to the fact that a piece of motor fire apparatus was installed in the early part of the year, a 20 per cent. reduction on insurance rates was promulgated by the State Board of Fire Underwriters and became effective September 1st, for that district within a one mile radius of the Town Farm where the apparatus is kept. Efforts are now being made to increase this radius and it is quite probable that it will be enlarged during the next few months.

Each school in the Town is now equipped with an anti-freeze extinguisher and the School Committee has installed a system of fire drill. We, therefore, believe that everything possible has been done to insure safety in schools as they now exist.

In connection with the State campaign for fire prevention every school class has been addressed on the subject and we feel that as a result many needless fires are avoided.

We urge all citizens to co-operate with us this year to reduce the number of fires to a minimum. Know who the nearest Deputy Warden is to you and notify him or the Fire Warden of any fire that you cannot extinguish yourself.

Those having extinguishers are requested to see to it

that they are in proper shape at all times. Refilling equipment may be obtained from any Deputy.

This year the State Fire Marshall proposes to co-operate more closely than ever with the towns in fire prevention work, and with the assistance of all, it is hoped that a low record may be set for loss from fires and expenditures pertaining to same.

ARTHUR COOMBS

Forest Fire Warden

FIRE DEPARTMENT

N. E. Fire Appliance Co., extinguishers and supplies	\$90.40
N. E. Fire Appliance Co., repairing, etc	2.63
American LaFranc Fire Engine Co., supplies	7.28
E. & F. King Co., supplies	14.29
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., supplies	12.13
Coombs & McBeath, supplies	18.90
H. S. Turner, supplies	15.25
W. H. Spencer, postage .....	.59
Chas. A. Bruce, labor	9.50
J. H. Sparrell, auto service	19.19
Loring Fire	14.50
Richardson Fire	2.00
Church Hill Fire	13.75
Martin Fire	5.00
Valley Swamp Fire	34.50
Sylvester Fire	6.50
Dorety Fire	7.25

Assissippi Pond Fire	22.54	
	<hr/>	\$296.20
Appropriation		300.00
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Balance		\$3.80

FOREST WARDEN AND DEPUTIES

Arthur Coombs, Forest Warden, Main St. . .	Tel. 34—6
John F. Wilder, deputy, Central St.	Tel. 24—3
John Whalen, deputy, Central St.	Tel. 27—3
Henry D. Smith, deputy, River St.	Tel. 13—2
Francis E. Henderson, Tiffany Rd. . .	Hanover Tel. 11—6
Melvin S. Little, deputy, River St. . .	Hanover Tel. 27—2
Benjamin Loring, deputy, Prospect St.	Tel. 12—22
Carlton I. Litchfield, deputy, Mt. Blue St. . . .	Tel. 17—5
H. W. Gardner, deputy, Wash. St. Rockland	Tel. 652—M
Jesse Reed, deputy, Central St.	Tel. 11—24
Harry B. Merritt, deputy, River St.	Tel. 8—3
James W. Stinson, deputy, Main St.	Tel. 47
Alvan G. Spencer, deputy, Main St.	Tel. 8023
John H. Sparrell, deputy, Main St.	Tel. 106—2

LOCATION OF FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

Central Street

E. H. Sparrell, Tel. 2—3	John Whalen, Tel. 27—3
W. H. Spencer, Tel. 103—4	J. H. Hatch, Tel. 24—2
J. E. Leslie	E. E. Litchfield
L. A. Jenkins, Tel. 11—7	

Winter Street

A. H. Tilden

J. T. Osborn

Stetson Road

Harding Sproul

Grove Street

H. A. Sprague, Tel. 12—2

M. Gotreau

High Street

A. W. Thomas

G. E. Farrar

A. W. Robinson, Rockland 521—Y

T. Sheehan

Jacobs Avenue

A. F. Jacobs

Lincoln Street

G. W. Richardson

L. W. Lincoln, Tel. 31—3

I. A. Lincoln, Tel. 8029

Mt. Blue Street

M. F. Williamson, Tel. 4—3

B. I. Richardson Tel. 49—4

C. O. Litchfield, Tel. 17—5

Main Street

C. S. West & Son (store) Tel. 6—12

Town Hall

Joseph Briggs, Tel. 12—14

W. D. Turner Tel. 15—22

G. S. Corthell, Tel. 100

H. S. Turner (store) 19—3

J. F. Osborne, Tel. 12—31

Town Farm, Tel. 19—2

C. A. Berry, Tel. 41—3

N. Molla, Tel. 42—4

F. Thomas H. C. Ford M. D. Maxwell Tel. 9—3
 Norwell P. O., Tel 8023 J. W. Stinson, Tel. 4—7
 Arthur Coombs, Tel. 34—6

Pleasant Street

J. C. Otis, Tel. 35

Prospect Street

E. A. Damon Benjamin Loring, Tel. 12—22

Summer Street

Albert Litchfield, Tel. 11—2 Percy Litchfield
 G. B. Ellms, Scituate, Tel. 5—13

River Street

M. Little, Hanover, Tel. 27—2 A. Brainard
 J. Tolman, Hanover, Tel. 86—2 . . G. E. Torrey, Tel. 7—4
 H. D. Smith, Tel. 13—2

Tiffany Road

F. E. Henderson, Tel. Hanover 11—6 W. S. Simonds

Washington Street

C. W. Thomas H. S. Simmons
 E. W. Gardner, Tel. Rockland 522 —J W. J. Leonard
 H. W. Gardner, Tel. Rockland 652—7

Pine Street

George M. Currier, Hanover, Tel. 33

School Houses Dist. No. 1, 2, 5, 7, High School.
 For use on premises only.

Report of Board of Health

Diseases dangerous to the public health reported:

Diphtheria	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	2
Measles	6
Mumps	1
Chicken Pox	1
Lobar Pneumonia	3

14

Inspections of Slaughtering,

Amos H. Tilden, Inspector.

Beef Cattle	1
Calves	2
Sheep	12
Hogs	266

287

Alpheus Damon, Inspector.

Calves	4
Sheep	6
Hogs	170

180

Dairies Inspected	70
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 BOARD OF HEALTH ACCOUNT

Plymouth Co. Hospital, 1920	\$18.20
Mass. Homeopathic Hospital, 1920	25.00
Plymouth County Tuberculosis Hospital	15.60
Wm. P. Grovestein, M. D.,	30.00
Chas. Hammond, M. D.,	3.00
T. B. Alexander, M. D.	50.00
Carrie M. Ford, printing	1.25
J. H. Sparrell, auto	2.50
J. H. Sparrell, auto, 1920	16.50
John F. Wilder, services	67.88
Joseph F. Merritt, services	88.00
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	\$317.93
Appropriation	500.00
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Unexpended	\$182.07

 INSPECTION OF SLAUGHTERING ACCOUNT

Paid Alpheus Damon, Inspector	\$90.00
Paid Amos H. Tilden, Inspector	143.50
Paid Amos H. Tilden, Inspector	
Balance 1920 account.....	148.50
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	\$382.00
Appropriation	150.00
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Exceeded	\$232.00

JOHN F. WILDER
 MINOT F. WILLIAMSON
 JOSEPH F. MERRITT

Board of Health

Report of Sealer Weights and Measures

	Scaled
Platform Scales, over 500 lbs.	1
Platform Scales, under 500 lbs.	5
Counter Scales	13
Spring Balance	4
Weights	28
Liquid Measures	33
Oil Pumps	8
Yard Measures	3
Salary of Sealer	\$25.00
Test Measures	15.00
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	\$40.00
Fees received	9.75
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Cost to Town	\$30.25

J. WARREN FOSTER

Sealer of Weights and Measurers

Report of Trustees of Ridge Hill Public Library

Received

Balance on Hand	\$18 65	
Appropriation from Town	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$68 65

Paid

De Wolfe, Fiske & Co., books	\$33 74	
Goodspeed's Book Shop	2 50	
Heat and Light	5 00	
Insurance	4 25	
Supplies	3 30	
Freight	1 15	
	<hr/>	\$49 94
Balance		\$18 71

The total circulation for the year was 2090, fiction 1804, non-fiction 286, an average of 48 per day.

The largest daily circulation was 91.

About 100 new volumes have been added during the year by purchase and gift.

Of the latter a large proportion was donated by the State Library Commission for which we are very grateful.

We are also indebted to the Women's Educational Union for the loan of a large, well chosen collection which adds greatly to the usefulness of our Library as do the weekly

loans from the James Library which are much appreciated by our patrons.

We are already taxing the capacity of our small building and are confronted with the necessity of enlarging it to meet the needs of our growing collection. Any contributions from the friends of the Library will be gladly received and will aid in the promotion of an institution which is of real service to our community.

ALFRED H. PROUTY
WILLIAM O. PROUTY
WILLIAM J. LEONARD

Trustees

Budget for 1922

This budget carries a rate of \$34.00 a substantial and desirable reduction of the rate of last year, the fifth highest in the State. Every addition of \$1,000.00 to this budget will increase the rate by 70 cents.

	Appropriated Recommended	
	1921	1922
Support of Poor\$	1,800 00	\$ 2,300 00
Almshouse	2,500 00	2,500 00
Support of Schools	12,500 00	12,500 00
Highways general	4,500 00	4,500 00
Highways special for tarvia work	9,000 00	4,500 00
Highways, special, Mt. Blue, Lincoln and Summer Sts.	2,100 00	
Notes, River St., Union Bdge.	6,000 00	6,000 00
Notes, Central St.		1,000 00
Removing Snow	1,500 00	700 00
Memorial Day	250 00	150 00
State Aid	1,500 00	1,500 00
Soldiers' Relief	400 00	400 00
Town Officers	2,400 00	2,400 00
Washington Street Cemetery.	75 00	75 00
Tree Warden	50 00	50 00
Mowing Bushes	300 00	300 00
Board of Health	500 00	500 00
Inspection of Slaughtering ..	150 00	
School Physician	100 00	100 00

Squares and Triangles	200 00	200 00
Town Hall, including wiring .	245 00	75 00
Electric Lights	500 00	500 00
James Library	300 00	200 00
Ridge Hill Library	50 00	50 00
Fire Department	300 00	300 00
Gypsy Moth	536 57	572 25
Superintendent of Schools ...	500 00	500 00
Interest	1,950 00	3,100 00
State and County Taxes	6,000 00	6,500 00
Gaffield Park	25 00	25 00
Incidentals	2,000 00	2,000 00
No. 2 School House	200 00	
Spraying Elms	200 00	
Visiting Nurse	1,200 00	1,200 00
Plymouth Co. Hospital, main- tenance and construction.	907 46	1,097 90
Plymouth Co. Farm Bureau ..	100 00	100 00
Plymouth Tercentenary Com..		89 00
Flag	75 00	
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	\$60,914 03	\$55,984 15

Financial Statement

December 31, 1921

LIABILITIES

Anticipation of Tax Loan.....	\$20,000 00
River Street Loan	15,000 00
Central Street Loan	5,000 00
Plymouth County Hospital Loan ..	3,500 00
	<hr/> \$43,500 00

ASSETS

Due from State Aid	\$ 1,349 00
Uncollected Taxes	22,675 44
Cash on Hand with Treasurer	1,351 20
	<hr/> \$25,375 64
Balance against Town	<hr/> \$18,124 36

HERBERT E. ROBBINS

Treasurer

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor, Highway Surveyor, Moth Supt., School Committee, Tax Collector and Treasurer, and find same correct with vouchers for all amounts paid.

ELLIOTT W. CROWELL.

Auditor for 1921

List of Jurors

Andrews, Emory N.	Carpenter	Washington St.
Apts, Herbert W.	Laborer	Summer St.
Ellms, George B.	Carpenter	" "
Farrar, George R.	Shoeworker	High "
Gardner, Edward W.	Blacksmith	Washington "
Gooch, Adelbert A.	Shoeworker	" "
Hatch, Joseph W.	Farmer	Central "
Jacobs, Edwin Everett	Farmer	Main "
Maxwell, Mortimer D.	"	" "
Merritt, Harry S.	Carpenter	Central "
Morton, George S.	Farmer	Stetson Rd.
Osborn, George A.	Carpenter	Grove St.
Rogers, George Otis	Shoeworker	High "
Simmons, William S.	Retired	Tiffany Rd.
Simmons, Herbert G.	Farmer	Washington St.
Smith, Henry D.	Auto Repairer	River "
Spencer, William H.	Farmer	Central "
Sprague, Arthur H.	Shoeworker	High "
Stoddard, Arthur T.	Farmer	" "
Studley, Frank E.	Shoeworker	Washington "
Tilden, Amos H.	Farmer	Cross "
Torrey, George E.	Retired	River "
Ware, William C.	Farmer	Washington "
West, Calvin S.	Merchant	Central "
Wilder, Harrison	Retired	Main "

Transcript of Articles in Warrant

Article 1. To choose a moderator.

Art. 2. To hear the reports of the several boards of officers and committees of the town and act thereon.

Art. 3. To make necessary appropriations to defray the expenses of the town, and for other purposes and to raise such sums of money as the town shall deem expedient for the following purposes:

Support of Poor, Almshouse, Support of Schools, Highways, general, Highways special for tarvia work, Notes, River St., Union Bdge. Notes, Central St., Removing Snow, Memorial Day, State Aid, Soldiers' Relief, Town Officers, Washington Street Cemetery, Tree Warden, Mowing Bushes, Board of Health, School Physician, Squares and Triangles, Town Hall, Electric Lights, James Library, Ridge Hill Library, Fire Department, Gypsy Moth, Superintendent of Schools, Interest, State and County Taxes, Gaffield Park, Incidentals, Visiting Nurse, Plymouth Co. Hospital, Maintenance and construction, Plymouth Co. Farm Bureau, Plymouth Tercentenary Com.

Art. 4. Will the town appropriate a sum of money above the regular school budget to repair the school buildings now in use, or take any action to secure adequate housing of its school children?

Art. 5. Will the town appropriate \$750.00 to erect a

tablet or suitable memorial with the names of the men of Norwell who served in the World War?

Art. 6. To make allowances to town creditors.

Art. 7. Will the town authorize its Selectmen to negotiate with the Parish Committee of the First Parish relative to the school house lot of the Fifth District so-called and further authorize them to execute and also to receive in behalf of the town necessary releases to determine the boundries of said lot?

Art. 8. Will the town cause a statement of its financial affairs to be printed in February next?

Art. 9. Will the town authorize its Selectmen to appoint an Advisory Committee of nine non-office holding taxpayers, who shall serve without pay, whose duty it shall be to investigate and consider all financial propositions or articles to be brought before the town and to report or advise thereon in open Town Meeting before action by the town?

Art. 10. Will the town authorize its Selectmen to prepare and submit to the town by-laws providing for a Permanent Advisory Board and such other by-laws as may be deemed necessary?

Art. 11. Will the town appropriate the sum of \$1500 for the repairing and resurfacing of Lincoln and Mt. Blue Streets from the Hingham line to Cushing Corner?

Art. 12. Will the town give any instructions to town officers?

Art. 13. Will the town vote to choose a town director for the Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture as provided in Chapter 273 of the Acts of 1918?

Art. 14. Will the town take any action in regard to the care of parks, squares and triangles?

Art. 15. Will the town vote to have a Surveyors' plan of Norwell made and make an appropriation to defray the expense of same?

Art. 16. Will the town act with the Town of Hanover to have electric lights at the junction of River street, Norwell, and Broadway, Hanover, and at Assinippi?

Art. 17. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1922, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1923, and to issue note or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1922.

Art. 18. Will the town rescind the vote taken at the special town meeting, April 23, 1919, whereby it was voted to accept the provisions of Chapter 284 of the Acts of 1915 as amended by Chapter 59, Acts of 1916, or give any further instructions to the Selectmen in regard to the time of calling the annual town meeting, or take any action relative to the same?

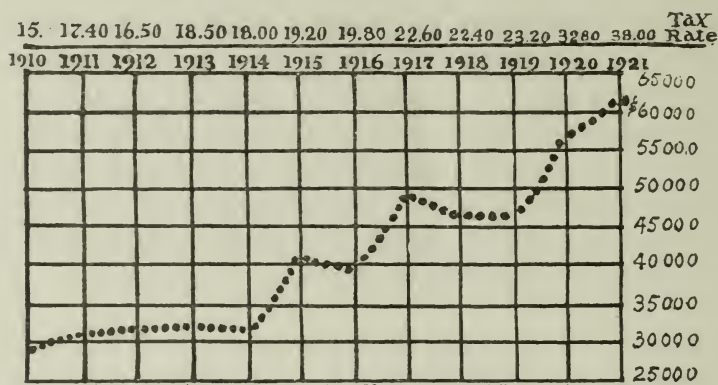
Art. 19. Will the town appropriate a sum not to exceed \$5,000.00 to be expended with like appropriations from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the County of Plymouth, as provided by Chapter 155, Acts of 1918, and other

acts in amendment thereto and connection therewith, for highway construction on Central street; and further authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow a sum not to exceed five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars and issue bonds or notes of the town, bearing interest payable semi-annually and principal payable in five equal annual payments, to provide for said construction, provided said sum shall provide for the completion of construction of Central St. to the Scituâte line?

Art. 20. What salary and compensation will the Town vote to pay all its elected officers. To conform with Sect. 95 of the Revised Laws as amended by Sect. 8 of Chapter 591 of 1920?

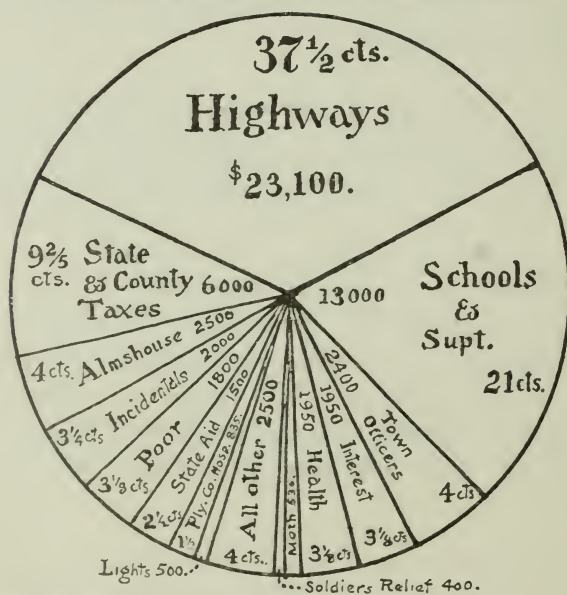
Art. 21. Will the town maintain an electric light at the junction of Central and Mt. Blue Streets or take any action in regard to the same?

Art. 22. To bring in their votes for a Town Clerk for one year; one Selectman; one Assessor; and one Overseer of the Poor for three years; a Treasurer; a Collector of Taxes, an Auditor; a Surveyor of Highways; Five Constables and a Tree Warden for one year; one member of the School Committee for three years; one member of the Board of Health for three years, one Trustee for the Ridge Hill Library, for three years, and to vote yes or no in answer to the question "Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town," all on one ballot. Polls open from 6 A. M. to 11 A. M.



This diagram shows the trend of Town expenditures since 1910

HOW YOUR DOLLAR IS APPORTIONED IN THE TOWN'S EXPENDITURES



All other includes. Libraries, Fire Dept., Mowing Bushes, Mem. Day, Town Hall, Form Bureau, Wash. St. Cemetery, Tree Warden and Goffield Park.

Report of School Committee

To the Citizens of the Town of Norwell:

At the first regular meeting of the Committee the following officers were elected by ballot.

Benjamin Loring, chairman; Nellie L. Sparrell, secretary-treasurer.

It was voted to print and distribute proposals for wood and transportation, the bids to be opened publicly at the Town Office, Norwell Centre, Friday, March 25th, at 2.30 P. M. The printed proposals were posted in all stores and other public places in the town and were mailed to interested individuals.

Friday, March 25th at 2.30 at the Town Office the bids were opened. They were as follows:

Bids for Wood:

John F. Osborne, 18 cords, hardwood, 4 cords
pine trash, sawed as specified\$245.00

Walter T. Osborn, 18 cords hard wood, 4 cords
pine trash\$200.00

No. 5, 6 cords hard wood, 1 cord pine trash,

No. 7, 4 cords hard wood, 1 cord pine pine....\$110.00

Benjamin Loring, No. 1, 6 cords hard wood, \$66

1 cord pine trash, \$7\$83.00

High, 2 cords hard wood, \$22; 1 cord pine

trash, \$7\$29.00

Total\$112.00

Contracts were awarded as follows:

Walter T. Osborn, Dist. No. 5 and 7\$110.00
Benjamin Loring, Dist. No. 1 and High School . \$112.00

Bids for Transportation:

J. H. Sparrel, Route No. 1\$26.50 per week
J. H. Sparrel, Route No. 2 26.50 per week
C. O. Litchfield, Route No. 3 27.50 per week
M. F. Williamson, Route No. 4 27.50 per week

Contracts were awarded as follows:

J. H. Sparrel, Route No. 1\$26.50 per week
J. H. Sparrell, Route No. 2 26.50 per week
C. O. Litchfield, Route No. 3 27.50 per week
M. F. Williamson, Route No. 4 27.50 per week

In reviewing the year's work just completed, one thing stands out prominently in our efforts to better conditions in our schools. Realizing fully that a sound mind must have a sound body, we have endeavored to guard the health of the pupil while in school and instruct him in healthful habits of every day life. A rather intensive campaign has been conducted with this end in mind. In addition to the regular medical inspection by the school physician each term, the school nurse has made several visits weekly watching conditions and giving instructions. She has been aided in her work of teaching cleanliness and prevention of disease by the addition of wash-stands and pitchers, basins, liquid soap, paper towels, paper drinking cups germicides and disinfectants to the equipment of each school. Tooth brush drills have been conducted and health plays enacted.

We have now had a full year of the Dental Clinic and its benefits are fully appreciated by all. Two schools have gained recognition as having every pupil's teeth in perfect

condition and the remaining schools lack very little of this goal.

In some families it seemed impossible to find money for all the children needing dental work done, therefore the Norwell District Nurse Association took upon itself the financial responsibility of caring for all cases of school children who are not able to pay for the services of the dentist.

At District No. 1 Ridge Hill three Kaustine system toilets were installed, and the vaults used since the erection of the school entirely removed. At present these toilets are giving perfect satisfaction and we feel sure the health of that immediate neighborhood must be better in consequence. Lack of funds prevented the purchases of this style toilet for the building at District No. 5, Norwell Centre.

The platform at Ridge Hill being beyond repair, it was replaced by one of cement. The large rocks in the yard were blasted and a little very necessary grading of the grounds done, in an attempt to lessen the chances for accidents bound to occur when several grades play on rough stony grounds. These constitute our efforts to make No. 1 livable. The teachers and pupils, however, have gone farther and purchased playground apparatus and pictures from money earned by the sale of candy and the giving of school entertainments.

That the health department of the schools may better serve the community, we have arranged to have the School Physician, School Dentist and School Nurse constitute a health centre in each school district. The school nurse will make two regular visits a week to each school at which time she may be consulted by anyone desiring her services. Any matter requiring the advice of the physician or dentist, she will gladly take up with them. Our only hope is that the community will take advantage of this opportunity. A

printed schedule of her visits may be found in the report of the Norwell District Nurse Association.

Our teaching force suffered three changes during the summer vacation. Miss Kelliher of Ridge Hill Primary resigned but we were most fortunate in obtaining the services of Mrs. Lois Turner, a Bridgewater Normal graduate in her stead. Two highly successful teachers of the High School Miss Tolman and Miss Cochran left us and their places were taken by Miss Carr and Miss Tyler, both Wheaton College graduates. We were fortunate in retaining the services of Mr. Nichols, who reports the continued good work at our High School.

In common with all adjacent towns, we experienced a large increase in our enrollment in September. Ridge Hill increased to that point where it became impossible to even seat the added number. It was thought advisable after careful consideration to transfer the 3rd and 4th grades to the vacant building at District No. 2 under the care of Mrs. Turner, leaving grades 1 and 2 at Ridge Hill with Miss Gardner.

Concerning the work accomplished, the experiment has proven itself successful. Much more ground has been covered with less wear and tear on pupils and teachers.

We know the building and grounds are not what the parents have a right to expect but only such repairs were made as were absolutely necessary, hoping the use of this building would be temporary.

District No. 7 doubled in number this year. District No. 5 received its share of the increase and the High School climbed to the enrollment of 60 the largest in its history.

We are confronted with still larger numbers for next year with the added problem of providing in the High School for a possible entrance class of thirty odd, the present number in our eighth grades while the graduating class numbers but ten. With three recitations conducted at the same

time in the main room, the cloak room and at times even the entry utilized as a recitation room truly the problem at the High School alone seems impossible to solve.

There seems but one way to provide for the increase at this school, if the present building is to be retained and that simply a makeshift. A portable building could be erected in the yard but it could hardly prove satisfactory. The question of proper heating would arise and the confusion and loss of time experienced in passing to and from the building would detract from the present atmosphere of the school.

District No. 2 must have extensive repairs if used another year, more plastering, the interior painted, new outside doors, new windows and new toilets built. District No. 1 and District No. 5 must be painted outside.

A gentleman of educational attainment who has had the interest of our schools at heart for many years, recently spent an entire day visiting our schools and noting conditions. He reported finding throughout a splendid corps of teachers, an excellent spirit of earnestness in both teachers and pupils but in most cases a truly shocking condition of housing.

How much longer will that spirit of earnestness remain unbroken under present conditions?

We have tried to improve the present buildings in years past and have been successful in this to a certain degree but the time has now come when Norwell faces a crisis in her school life. To even accomodate the numbers in the present buildings extensive and expensive repairs must be made. It seems as though we had reached the point where it becomes expedient to seriously balance the cost and advisability of this step with that of erecting a central building to house the High and Grammar schools at least.

Norwell has not erected a school building nor made any attempt to thoroughly remodel one since the erection of

District No. 2 some fifty years ago. The individual is not satisfied to get along with the facilities of fifty years ago, home life in Norwell has become enriched with countless changes during that period yet her school life remains shut in by the same narrow walls as then.

We realize the tax rate of this Town is excesses but is there not a way to reduce this and give the benefit of the reduction to our educational system.

In all fairness we present the facts to you for solution trusting the voters in March meeting will give the matter their most earnestness consideration.

Financial Statement

HIGH SCHOOL FUND

Unexpended balance in 1920	\$150.17
Unexpended balance in 1921	150.17

EXPENDITURES FROM GENERAL APROPRIATION

Transportation	
C. O. Litchfield	\$1,155.00
J. H. Sparrel	2,226.00
M. F. Williamson	1,135.50
W. F. Turner	2.20
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	\$4,518.70

SUPERINTENDENT

Paid Stephen G. Bean, services and expenses	\$1,081.80
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JANITOR SERVICE

Alexander Brown, High School ..	\$ 400.00
Charles A. Bruce, No. 5	163.50
George A. Goodenough, No. 1	160.00
W. C. Tolman, No. 7	57.00
Total	<hr/>
	\$780.50

FUEL AND FITTING

Lyman W. Lincoln, wood	\$41.00
Benjamin Loring, wood	178.00
Walter T. Osborn, wood	122.00
C. W. Briggs	14.00
Phillips Bates, coal	56.01
Albert Gunderway, fitting .....	.50
Edmund I. Sylvester, 2nd, fitting ..	.50
Charles Smith, fitting	5.00
G. O. Goodenough, fitting	8.90
Arthur Stoddard, fitting	1.50
C. A. Bruce, fitting	8.00

 \$435.41

TEACHERS

J. M. Nichols, High	\$1,885.00
Margaret Cochran, High	750.00
Margaret Tolman, High	750.00
Dorothy Sleeper, High	1,270.00
Ruth Tyler, High	440.00
Frances Carr, High	440.00
Prof. E. L. Wood, High	63.00
Ella Osborn, No. 1	1,020.00
Lois C. Turner, No. 1	410.00
Catherine Kelliher, No. 1	600.00
Minnie Gardner, No. 1	790.00
Florence Pinson, No. 5	1,020.00
Marion Merritt, No. 5	1,020.00
Dorothy Litchfield, No. 5	790.00
Maria Tolman, No. 7	1,020.00
Mrs. A. G. Eldredge, Drawing	300.00
Ethel M. Studley, Music	700.00
Mrs. James Waterman	4.75

 \$13,272.75

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Edw. E. Babb, Text books and supplies	\$206.71
C. C. Birchard	28.40
American Book Co.	42.65
D. C. Heath Co.	14.24
A. S. Barnes	5.37
Ginn & Co.	86.44
Gregg Publishing Co.	7.52
Oliver Ditson Co.	14.27
Little, Brown Co.	6.85
Ryan & Buker	7.07
Dowling School Supply Co.	5.08
Stone & Forsyth	22.50
J. Lippincott	2.84
Ward's, Diplomas	9.00
C. M. Ford, Printing and supplies	20.35
Floyd Osborn, Hanging curtains .	4.00
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	\$483.29

SUPPLIES AND INCIDENTALS

L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.	\$ 10.79
National Typewriter Exchange Co. 2 typewriters	165.25
Edw. E. Babb, supplies	9.93
Frederic T. Bailey	67.27
Bailey & Weston, curtains	38.50
Stone & Forsyth, supplies	106.50
Carrie M. Ford, supplies and printing	15.50
C. S. West, supplies	10.32
Houghton & Dutton, supplies	20.15
Geo O. Turner, labor and material	594.98
Phillips Bates, supplies	32.84

Hall & Torrey, supplies	2.50
Standard Oil Co., supplies	8.70
Wright & Potter, supplies	2.05
H. S. Turner, supplies	19.70
Belle Tucker, supplies .....	.85
W. H. Spencer, supplies .....	.75
Herbert Colburn, repairs	1.25
Fred A. Studley, repairs	1.50
Edwin Bates, repairs	1.50
Maria Tolman, cash paid	2.62
Nellie L. Sparrell, cash paid	27.44
W. T. Osborn, truant officer	4.00
J. Foster Merritt, labor	2.00
Robert Anthony, labor	2.50
M. A. Bruce, cleaning	24.00
Alexander Brown, cleaning	12.50
Eva Winslow, cleaning	25.00
Clarence Winslow, cleaning	4.00
Walter Wagner, cleaning vaults ..	6.00
Timothy Sheehan, cleaning vaults.	9.00
Samuel Turner, cleaning chimney .	1.00
Michael Gautreau, blasting	25.00
McKee Express, carting	1.16
Benjamin Loring, Cash paid, telephone and auto	245.65
P. W. Bonney, trans.	20.50
Arthur Osborne, labor and trans. ..	61.65
C. A. Bruce, labor	6.00
Harry S. Merritt, labor	2.80
Harry B. Merritt, labor	9.90
George S. Morton, labor and material	18.95
J. H. Sparrel, cash paid express, carting, telephone, 1920 & 1921	204.86
Dr. Eldredge, Inspection	25.00

Herbert Joseph, labor	3.00	
G. A. Goodenough, labor	6.75	
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SUMMARY

HIGH SCHOOL FUND

Unexpended in 1920	\$150.17
Unexpended in 1921	150.17

GENERAL APPROPRIATION

Town Appropriation for Schools .	\$12,500.00
Town Appropriation for Supt. ...	500.00
From State for Supt.	622.22
From State Tuition State Wards ..	161.75
Dog Tax	184.10
Income Tax	1,970.00
High School, Special	1,014.29
Received for Tuition	10.00
Mass. School Fund	3,395.38
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Total	\$20,357.74

EXPENDITURES

Teacher's Salaries	\$13,272.75
Transportation	4,518.70
Superintendent	1,081.80
Janitors	780.50
Fuel and Fitting	435.41

Books	483.29	
Supplies and Incidentals	1,862.11	
Total	—————	\$22,434.56
Appropriation Exceeded		\$2,076.82

Respectfully submitted,

NELLIE L. SPARRELL, Secretary

BENJ. LORING

AMY W. SYLVESTER

School Committee

Report of Superintendent

To the School Committee of the Town of Norwell:

Herewith is submitted my Fourth Annual Report as Superintendent of Schools for Norwell. It has been prepared for the benefit of those whose money supports the schools of this Town; to inform them of the present conditions and future needs of the school system, that they may become conversant with the same prior to the Annual Town Meeting. No elaborate statistical tables or confusing graphs will be found; only the simplest tabulations of pupil distribution will appear.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

There has been a very marked improvement in one exceedingly important element of the general school situation during the past year. This has to do with hygienic or sanitary conditions. The ink was barely dry on the writer's adverse criticism in last year's report ere the School Committee in co-operation with the School Nurse had provided every school building in town with liquid soap, wash basins, paper towels, paper drinking cups and toilet paper, no one of which had heretofore been provided in the schools.

Of a more localized nature but nevertheless a very decided betterment of general conditions was the installation of the Kaustine System of Chemical Toilets in the Ridge Hill building. A similar installation should be made in the Number 5 School if it is to continue in use for school purposes.

The most important educational gain was forced by an

unexpected influx of children in the vicinity of the Number 2 School. Ordinarily these children would have been housed in the Ridge Hill School; but owing to the fact that they were in the main pupils in the primary grades which were already overburdened, it became necessary to open the lower room in Number 2. This made it possible to ameliorate a very undesirable condition which has been in existence ever since a primary assistant was introduced at Ridge Hill. Two teachers in one room engaged in teaching different grades simultaneously produces educational Bedlam.

Only intimate contact with the daily operation of the classes under the old and new conditions can give any real appreciation of what this apparently simple reorganization has accomplished. It is to be hoped that the old condition may never return.

Not the least gain from this change was the assurance of the continued service during the year of a very superior teacher who would not long have been able to support the former condition.

It is almost universally true that any radical change brings some drawback in its train. The fly in this particular ointment was the matter of transportation. This has been given very serious and careful consideration by the School Committee and the Superintendent. To them it seems that the condition, while not ideal, is far from impossible. Although it is true that for a time the bus is crowded, the period is not five minutes long, and the distance not over a mile and a half.

There are two remedies under consideration, one obvious, the other apparently less so. The first is the addition of another barge to this route at the additional cost of approximately twenty dollars a week. The other course would be to just meet the legal requirement as to the distance that children shall be transported, setting the limit at two miles. The objection to the first of these would appear in

the tax bill for next year. The difficulty of the second course is that it would penalize the smaller children chiefly, because it is to the children in Number 2 School that the crowded condition is due.

Personal investigation by the writer has brought conviction that the true solution of the problem could be found in the display of a little forbearance and consideration on the part of the older pupils, combined with a more helpful civic spirit which strives for the greatest good of all concerned rather than to assert what may be considered personal rights. In any event it is difficult to see how any additional burden for transportation can be assumed by the committee except on special appropriation from the Town.

THE TEACHING STAFF

Changes in the teaching staff during the year were small in number but large in proportion. Our greatest loss was from the High School corps and was particularly severe because of the quality of the departing teachers as well as their length of service. There is some small consolation in the fact that it was matrimony rather than a matter of money that robbed us of the services of Miss Tolman. There is significance in the fact that the loss of Miss Cochran was due less to financial considerations than to the miserable teaching conditions at the High School.

Matrimony balanced its account by bringing to us the services of Mrs. Lois M. Turner who assumed the position left vacant by the resignation of Miss Katherine Kelliher. Mrs. Turner is a Bridgewater graduate of the quality sought by such towns as Arlington where she was employed just prior to her coming to reside in Norwell.

The High School staff was finally completed by the engagement of two classmates from Wheaton College. Miss Carr assumed the duties laid down by Miss Tolman and

Miss Tyler took over the work in Science and Mathematics. Both of these teachers have fitted into the school admirably and have shown a spirit of earnestness and willingness.

PROFESSIONAL IMPROVEMENT OF TEACHERS

Teacher training thru the medium of regular Teachers' Meetings does not seem to be good economy of time and effort in this town for geographical reasons. Their place is filled by the Teachers' Institute and the Lecture Course.

The first Institute for the teachers of this superintendency Union was held in St. Andrew's Parish House at Hanover in April, 1921. It was heartily supported and fully attended by the Norwell teachers, who afterwards expressed the unanimous opinion that it had been the most practical and helpful education meeting in their experience, not excepting the more pretentious Conventions. Informality, practicality, and cordiality were the key notes of this meeting.

The principal speakers were Deputy Commissioner Frank W. Wright of the State Department of Education, who delivered his message with his customary powerful, incisive, impressive earnestness; Miss Mabel C. Bragg of Newton, with a very practical and helpful talk for the elementary teachers in general; and Miss Flora Stewart of the Normal School at Bridgewater, who gave extremely helpful suggestions to the primary teachers and demonstrated a variety of time saving and busy work devices and materials.

At the opening of the morning session Miss Loretta MacDonnell of the King Street Primary School of Hanover gave a class demonstration of reading, aided by a group of pupils of foreign born parentage. The object was to show methods used and results obtained in this class of children who had known no English at the opening of school the preceeding September.

A second demonstration was given by Miss Helen Whit-

ing of the Hanover schools with a class from her room. A time-saving method of program administration was the object of this demonstration.

At noon an excellent lunch was served by members of the local Parent-Teacher organizations under the leadership of Mrs. Sylvester of Norwell School Committee.

The afternoon session was departmentalized, the grammar school teacher's meeting in Salmond School for a class demonstration of the socialized recitation in Civics by a class from the Hanson schools under Mrs. Emily Baker, the High School section holding conference with Mr. Wright in one of the rooms of the Parish House; while Miss Bragg gave her talk to the teachers of the lower grades in the Parish Hall.

As a result of this meeting the Superintendent was requested by the members of the School Committees there present to make this type of meeting a part of the regular plan for the improvement of teaching.

Another outgrowth of this Institute was the plan for a series of lectures to be given by Miss Bragg during the school year of 1921-'22. The first of these meetings was held in November with a full attendance in spite of the fact that it came on Saturday. The next lecture is to take place Saturday, January 28, 1922, and will probably be followed by others at regular intervals during the winter and spring.

Miss Bragg is Assistant Superintendent of Schools in Newton, and is an educator of long experience and recognized ability as a specialist in elementary methods. She has an inimitable combination of vividness of language and power of personality and expression which grips and holds the attention and impresses the message she brings. The results of the first lecture have already appeared in more than one class-room in the district.

HEALTH ACTIVITIES

The word activity applies well to the health work in the Norwell schools. The school physician, dentist and nurse have been doing an excellent piece of team work this last year the results of which will prove far reaching. This is a department of the school work of which this Town may well be proud. Sincere and hearty thanks are due those who have fostered the growth of this work. It is a work worth doing, well done.

THE SUPREME EDUCATIONAL NEED

There seems to be current in the Town a very general impression that the greatest local educational need is a decent high school building. This requirement is obvious; but there is a greater which if met to the best advantage would include the high school project, and at the same time so improve the quality of preparation for high school work as to give a far greater return on the investment.

The supreme educational need is a complete reorganization of the whole school system; a reorganization such that no teacher shall have more than two grades under her leadership. This is the one means by which Norwell can attain or even approximate the educational training due every American child wherever found. It would prove one of the best investments that the Town could make; an investment in futures to be sure, but in the futures of Norwell's children.

Any serious consideration of this problem of reorganization involves an equally serious consideration of the present school plant. Even a cursory examination of the buildings now in use makes it clearly evident that without some new construction effective reorganization is almost impossible, or at least not feasible for financial reasons.

There are in use at the present time five frame buildings no one of which would scale forty per cent. judged by the

requirements for a rural school on the score sheets of the Corn Belt States. By the standards of the Virginia Educational Commission they would grade C on an A to E basis. This means that they are of a low-medium grade. Of these the high school, as such, would be almost impossible to grade, aside from equipment. Attempts have consistently been made to render these buildings as efficient as is possible. Much money has been spent for decent black-boards, adequate seating, improved sanitary facilities, and abortive endeavors at proper heating and ventilation; but the buildings still stand as structural schoolhouse monstrosities. They could be remodeled but it is not safe to estimate at what cost.

Of playgrounds there are none worthy the name. At Ridge Hill during the past year the quality has been remarkably improved but the area is still inadequate. At Number 5 the space is very meager and the quality impossible. Of apparatus there is none here and very little level ground to hold it if there were any. There is mighty little incentive for the teachers to supervise playground activities where there is practically no playground.

Reorganization being imperative, and the existing school plant being inadequate to carry it through, it is evident that some form of new construction is necessary. Just what direction the project should take from this point might be open to a difference of opinion. The logical thing to do seems, under existing circumstances, to hinge on adequate housing for the High School. If the Union High School project could be carried through it would simplify the problem materially. If this be wholly beyond hope of consideration at present a high school plant should be built as the central unit of a consolidated school for all children in town above the fourth grade. Such a building could at a future date serve as a consolidated school for all but high school pupils should the Union School plan have proven itself elsewhere and become desirable.

This arrangement would allow for the concentration of the first four grades in the schools at Ridge Hill and Norwell Center with two grades in each room. Under these conditions the children could secure a thorough grounding in the fundamentals, and upon entering the fifth grade in the new school be gradually introduced to department training and a richer curriculum with new conditions and fresh experiences ever in enticing anticipation. It would break the deadening monotony of the same surroundings year in and year out, and keep the young minds alert and eager.

Such a school should be placed in a plot of land sufficiently large to permit of proper segregation of play areas, and with ample opportunity for project work in which the use of the soil has a part. This is one point which should be given most careful consideration, and prime importance should not be given as to what part of the town it should be located in.

One other important adjunct of the school should be an adequate assembly hall; not for the use of the pupils solely but rather as a civic center. In it the people should gather in groups large or small, and from it should radiate all of the important movements for local betterment.

AGE LIMITS

From two different sources during the past year has come the suggestion that Norwell return to the nine grade plan of elementary school organization. The plea is that the entering classes in the high school are too young and immature. If this be true and if but one year has been cut from the former nine year elementary school course surely this one year does not wholly account for the youth and immaturity. The true remedy lies elsewhere. It is the age of entrance to the first grade that should be questioned. Did children enter as young in former days as they do now? As it is at present a child may enter the first grade very soon after his fifth birthday.

The laws of the Commonwealth provide that every child in the State must attend school between the ages of seven and fourteen years. This would seem to indicate that the educational authorities considered seven years a sufficiently low limit for school entrance. It is, however, a sufficiently safe conclusion that chronological age is not the safest criterion.

It has been determined by no less an authority than Dr. Lewis M. Terman, Professor of Education in Leland Stanford University, that below the mental age of six years no child is ready for the first grade, and that below the mental age of five and one-half years the chances that really standard first grade work will be done are practically negligible. This accounts for much of the immaturity complained of. It has been repeatedly demonstrated by very carefully standardized tests that chronological age and mental age are not at all in total agreement. They may vary widely with individuals. Children of five years chronologically may show a mental age of seven or more, while some who are mentally five years old are chronologically seven, ten, or even twelve or more years old. As was said above, it has been demonstrated that a mental age of at least six years is necessary for really successful work in the first grade.

It is the carefully considered opinion of the writer that it would be far better for the children and the schools of Norwell (and incidentally for the teachers) if it were required that every child shall attain the age of five years on or before January first of the year that he enters the first grade. This would give a minimum entrance age of five years and eight months.

The ideal procedure would be to determine entrance to the first grade on the basis of psychological tests for mental age, admitting only those who showed a mental age of six years. This would allow the exceptional child to take

advantage of his natural endowment. Incidentally data could be thus secured which might be of great value to both teachers and parents.

NUMBER AND DISTRIBUTION OF PUPILS

The number and distribution of pupils in the Norwell schools is shown by the two tables which follows:

Table I
School-Grade Distribution

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	T
Ridge Hill	22	18				12	13	7					72
#2			9	14	13								36
Total	22	18	9	14	13	12	13	7					108
#5	6	11	12	9	8	4	21						79
Church Hill	4	7	5		.4								20
Total	10	18	17	9	12	8	4	21					99
High School									23	11	14	10	58
Grand Total	32	36	26	23	25	20	17	28	23	11	14	10	262

Attention is called to the following significant features of this table:

- 1.—The total enrollment is 45 greater than at a similar period last year. This is an increase of about 20.5 per cent.

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- 2—The High School enrollment has increased from 45 to 58, a growth of 28.9 per cent.
 - 3—If all of the present eighth grade are promoted to the High School in the fall the enrollment will be 76, a further increase of 31 per cent. This would be a total increase of 68.9 per cent. over the 1920 figures.
 - 4—If the usual number of children enter the first grades in the fall, and if promotions are normal, there will be about 48 children in the first five grades in Number 5 School thus overcrowding the primary room. Under these same conditions there would be 83 children who would attend the Ridge Hill primary school, this of course providing Number 2 School were not used as in the past. If Number 2 School is continued in use as at present seats must be provided for the increase of five in the room now full.
 - 5—At Church Hill sixteen pupils will be left in the grades II-III-IV with the likelihood of a small entering class. The number here will probably not exceed twenty. This means a per pupil cost of fifty dollars for instruction alone as compared to \$24.34 for the same grades at Ridge Hill and Number 2, and \$40.22 at Number 5.

From (2) and (3) above it is evident that something must soon be done to ensure adequate housing conditions for the High School just from the standpoint of numbers alone.

It is evident from (4) and (5) that reorganization would give a fairer division of the teaching burden, a more efficient expenditure of the money, and far better chances for the children.

TABLE II
AGE AND GRADE DISTRIBUTION

	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	T	U A	Per Ct.	O A	Per Ct.
I	6	15	8	2	1										32	6	18.1	3	7.5
II		7	23	6											36	7	20	0	0
III			2	17	3	3		1							26	2	7.7	4	15.4
IV			1	7	8	3	3				1				23	8	34.8	4	17.4
V					7	7	6	4	1						25	7	28	5	20
VI						8	8	1	2	1					20	8	40	3	15
VII							4	9	2	1	1				17	4	23.5	2	11.8
VIII							1	13	10	4					28	14	50	0	0
IX								1	5	4	9	3	1		23	6	25.2	4	17.3
X										2	6	2	1		11	2	18.2	1	9.1
XI											2	8	4		14	2	14.3	0	0
XII												1	8	1	10	1	10	0	0
	6	22	34	32	19	21	22	29	20	12	19	14	14	1	265	67	25.3	26	9.8

Numbers at the heads of vertical columns indicate the age to the nearest year of all recorded in each square below.

Roman numerals indicate the various grades. Grades IX thru XII are the High School classes.

Each age block represents the number of children whose ages are within six months either side of the year indicated at the head of that column.

UA indicates the number of children below the normal age for the given grade. Correspondingly OA represents those who are over age.

The table does not show enrollment for the year, but is the actual membership December 31.

The proportion of over age and under age pupils is nearly the same as last year. The per cent. of UA pupils is large for the school conditions and organization in this town.

Ten per cent. of the over age pupils are in grades above the sixth. This is an encouraging fact. The over age pupils is usually far less numerous in these grades.

CONCLUSION

In closing may I say that I hope this report will be taken in the same spirit that we accept a physician's diagnosis and prescription. We may be alarmed at what he tells us and consider the medicine hard to take; we may feel that the money spent is needed for shoes for the children; but we have employed him in the belief that he knows his profession and what we must do in order to keep in condition to give those same children the support and protection we owe them.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN

West Hanover, Mass., December 31, 1921

District Nurse Association Report

The Officers of the District Nursing Association of Norwell, submit the following report:

The real work of the District Nursing Association of Norwell began in November, 1920, when at a meeting of the organization it was voted that funds to carry on this work would be raised by the effort of volunteers till the first of March when the Town would be asked to assume the salary of the nurse. Accordingly each section of Norwell pledged itself to raise one-third of the money needed.

Great credit is due to the citizens for their splendid co-operation and help and it a source of gratification to realize that this small rural village could see the great need of such an undertaking and respond so liberally. The State has passed a law requiring each Town to employ a school nurse, but the people of Norwell are giving greater assistance than that by paying the salary of a worker for daily service to the citizens as well as those of school age. We have been considered so worth while that the State Department as well as General Headquarters at Washington have sent Inspectors to make investigations in order that other Rural Communities might have help and encouragement to take up this Health Movement on the principle that what we can start others can follow.

Our organization is far from perfect. Many improvements may be made, but in spite of our failings and short comings, we honestly feel that we are a better Community to live in for having an insight into what can be accomplished by improving Health condition.

A new time schedule has been prepared for the convenience of Teachers and Parents and it is hoped that anyone desiring any information will avail themselves of the op-

portunities given to meet the nurse at stated times in different sections of the Town.

District No. 1. Ridge Hill. Monday at 11 A. M., Friday 2.10 P. M.

District No. 2. Tuesday and Thursday at 11.30 A. M.

High School. Tuesday at 2.10 P. M. and Wednesday at 11.30 A. M.

Number 5. Center Grammar. Monday and Wednesday. All persons desiring to communicate with the nurse in District No. 5 may do so at regular office hours.

District No. 7. Church Hill. Monday and Wednesday at 2.10 P. M.. General Headquarters of the Norwell District Nursing Association are at the Art and Crafts Building, Tel. 19-4.

Office hours, daily except Sunday and Thursday afternoon, 8-9 A. M. 1-2 P. M. 4-5 P. M.

The Association thanks its members for their helpfulness and asks for the combined support and co-operation of the citizens of Norwell. May we all have the vision and strength to accomplish the work undertaken in its fullest sense, giving of our best in this great forward movement.

Respectively submitted

AMY W. SYLVESTER, President

NURSE'S REPORT

One year's record of a busy worker, Mrs. Marian Sauer the Public Health Nurse supported by the Town of Norwell and the Norwell Visiting Nurse Association.

Number of Patients	145
Number of Nursing Visits	750
Number of Nursing Free	239
Number of Night calls	25
Number of School Visits	111
Number of Visits to Parents of School Children	63

Number of Infant Welfare Visits . . .	28
Number of Other Visits	76
Number of T. B. Visits	20
Number of Prenatal Visits	22
Tonsilectomy Cases	11
Total Number of Calls	1,454
Amount of Fees collected by Nurse, \$108.40	
MRS. MARIAN SAUER	

TREASURER'S REPORT

Received from Norwell Branch

A. R. C.	\$ 310.00	
Received from Gifts, whist parties, etc.	32.55	
Received from Food Booth at Marshfield Fair	227.51	
Received from Pop Concert	44.47	
Received from Bazaar	113.87	
Received from Nurses' Visits	108.40	
Received from Membership Dues . .	25.50	

 \$862.30

Paid Out:

Auto for use of Nurse	\$ 538.67	
Winter Top	50.00	
Insurance on Auto	69.90	
Registration	10.00	
Gasoline and Oil, etc.	53.80	
Dr. Eldredge, for work on teeth of school children	25.00	
Telephone	39.65	
Supplies	8.55	

 \$ 795.57

 \$66.73

MARY CURTIS, Treasurer

Report of Principal of High School

To the Superintendent and School Committee:

I hereby submit my annual report upon the work of the High School.

The year began with no change in the regular teaching force and to this fact is due a great measure of the year's successful work. The results attained were sufficient to show the wisdom of endeavoring in every possible way to retain the services of teachers who already have proven their worth.

But teachers alone cannot make a school successful. An important part rests with the pupils themselves; depends upon their spirit of scholarly endeavor and co-operation in all its activities. In this connection I desire to bestow a full measure of credit upon the class of 1921 for the upbuilding and maintaining a satisfactory standard of school work. The record of our honor-roll speaks eloquently of their scholarly attainments. The largest number that won this distinction in any bi-monthly period was fifteen. The students whose names appear upon the roll of honor during the entire year are the following:

Ruth Berry, Helene Merritt, Allen Lester, Bernice Damon, Marguerite Oakman.

I wish to record my appreciation of the splendid spirit shown by all the pupils during my severe illness. They met the responsibility suddenly trust upon them in a manner worthy of high praise. I shall never forget their kindness, loyalty and hearty co-operation. Prof. Wood carried on with gratifying success the work of those classes not otherwise provided for.

The following statements taken from a previous report show clearly some of the difficulties under which we work. "As our classes increase, we are more and more inconvenienced by the lack of facilities which are apparent to all

who visit the school. Several times each week, we are obliged regularly to conduct two exercises, and at times three, in the same room at one time. Such a condition is most unsatisfactory to teacher and pupil, and that we have been able to secure results under these limitations, is a testimony to the efficiency of teachers and the desire of the students to succeed in their work. That some solution for this difficulty may be found in the near future seems almost a necessity if the school is to maintain the standing which all should desire." We are now confronted by a condition which demands careful and wise consideration. We have nearly reached the capacity of the building and must make some adequate provision for the large classes which will seek admission in the immediate future.

The Fall term opened with a large attendance and some changes among the teachers. Miss Margaret Cochran accepted a position near her home and Margaret (Tolman) Lyons went to another part of the State to reside. Both of these teachers had been very successful and by their interest and enthusiasm had endeared themselves to the entire student body. They were succeeded by Miss Ruth Tyler and Miss Frances Carr, graduates of Wheaton College, whose work has been very acceptable.

Those who were present at our graduation last June will understand that Miss Studleys work as director of music needs no further commendation. Mrs. Eldridge has given more of her time this year to the drawing classes than heretofore and the results accomplished are of the usual high order of excellence.

In conclusion I desire to express my sincere thanks to you for your courtesy and confidence, to all the teachers and pupils for their loyalty and co-operation and to the citizens of the Town for their interest and support in whatever has been done to increase the efficiency of the school.

J. M. NICHOLS, Principal

